Weather

Cloudy and rather fine weather. The maximum temperature yesterday was 93.0 and the minimum 69.8, figures for the corresponding day last year being 83.7 and 65.5.

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大陸報

The China Press

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"The Pulse of this Great City and of China"

The Mail Box

MAILS for U. S. and Europe Pres. Madison, today.
FROM U.S. Emp. of Russia, tomorrow.
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BASE PROJECT MAY LEAD TO NEW PARLEYS WITH POWERS

Admiralty Chief Declines To Name Date Of Reconsideration

DEBATE QUESTION

Earl Of Balfour Denies Washington Pact Affects Issue

(Reuter's Service)

London, July 15.—In the course of his reply in the House of Lords today to the Marquess of Linlithgow, who drew attention to the advertisements appearing in the Straits Settlements newspapers of the Singapore base material, Viscount Chelmsford, the First Lord of the Admiralty, said that it was unreasonable to ask him to mention the exact date when the Government intended to reconsider the question of developing the Singapore base. It would be necessary in pursuance of the premier's policy to approach more than one foreign Power.

Replying to the Earl of Balfour, Viscount Chelmsford explained that in any extension of the policy of the Washington Conference it might be necessary that the five Powers represented at Washington should be brought into a conference again.

The Earl of Balfour denied that the Washington pact had bearing whatever on the question of Singapore. Why should the other Powers be consulted? The matter was one between ourselves and the Dominions (cheers).

Viscount Haldane, the Lord Chancellor, said that the question of the boundary line of the Pacific as agreed on at Washington had nothing to do with the matter. The Government must consider the effect on the Empire's general foreign policy of the establishment of the base, which would be for offence even more than for defence. It was essential that the base should be made a great instrument for offensive possibilities, from which very far-reaching operations could be conducted. That might be a desirable policy from a certain point of view, but it could not be reconciled with the new view of foreign policy taken by the Government, which contemplated bringing about a better situation which would make Singapore much less important that it now seemed to be. The Government's policy might fail, but the Government meant to stand or fall by it.

Big Consignment Of Drugs Seized On Italian Ship

(Reuter's American Service)

New York, July 15.—Officials raided an Italian steamer from Genoa this morning and seized 600 packages of narcotics, which, it is alleged, it was intended to smuggle into the country. Customs agents, thereupon, took possession of the vessel for a more complete search. Some of the ship's officers and a number of the crew have been arrested.

Coffee Futures Up Due To Revolt

(Reuter's American Service)

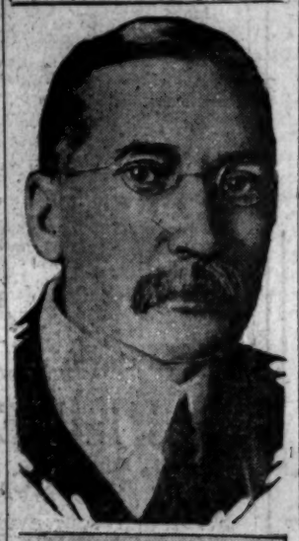
New York, July 15.—Owing to the Brazilian revolt causing fears of shortening supplies in consuming countries, coffee futures are strong and active. Yesterday's advance was attended by heavy covering and European buying. The same influence caused further recessions in Brazilian bonds, which fell two to three points as compared with Saturday.

Macao Governor Leaves For Lisbon

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Hongkong, July 16.—The Governor of Macao left for Lisbon today on board the President Cleveland.

Nationalist Overthrows Smuts' Ministry



GEN. J. B. M. HERZOG

Above is pictured General J. B. M. Herzog, confirmed Nationalist, who led the forces that overthrew the Ministry of General Jan Smuts in the recent South African elections.

LLOYD'S REPORT SHOWS DECREASE IN SHIP TONNAGE

Figures For June Reveal Falling Off Of 5000,000 Tons

(Reuter's Service)

London, July 16.—A decrease in the world's tonnage as compared with last year is shown in Lloyd's Register of Shipping for the first time since the tables were compiled. There was a total of 64,000,000 tons in June as compared with 65,000,000 tons in June last year, including 19,000,000 tons in Great Britain and Ireland as compared with 19,250,000 tons last year.

The decrease is mainly due to the large amount of tonnage broken up. As compared with 1914, Great Britain and Ireland have 18,917,000 tons as against 18,877,000; the British Dominions 2,213,000 against 1,407,000; the United States 11,823,000, against 1,837,000; France 3,193,000 against 1,918,000; Germany 2,856,000 against 5,098,000; Holland 2,533,000 against 1,471,000; Italy 2,676,000 against 1,428,000; and Japan 3,655,000 against 1,642,000.

Flour Prices Up Due To Poor Crops

(Reuter's Service)

London, July 16.—Speculation on bad harvests in America is blamed for the disquieting increase in the price of flour from 37/— to 43/6 per sack in the past two months. A prominent trade authority points out that France and Germany both report bad crops and that the Canadian supplies are estimated at 30 percent below normal. He declares that "almost every office boy in the United States is at present gambling in wheat futures."

Fall Arraigned In Oil Scandal

(Reuter's American Service)

El Paso, July 15.—Mr. A. B. Fall, ex-Secretary of the Interior, was today arraigned before the United States Commissioner in connection with the indictments against him by the Columbia Grand Jury relative to charges arising from the leasing of the Teapot Dome oilfields.

Ex-Secretary Fall pleaded "Not Guilty." He waived preliminary hearing and gave a bond of $25,000 for his appearance at Washington.

Shameen Hit By Strike Of Chinese

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Hongkong, July 16.—Yesterday evening all the Chinese employed in houses and offices in Shameen walked out as a protest against the regulation of the Shameen Municipal Council, requiring a permit from Chinese entering Shameen. The Dairy Farm Company is rushing supplies of foodstuffs to Shameen.

Ruhr Conference Opens In London, Delegations Get Rousing Welcomes

United States To Be Represented By Ambassador And Colonel Logan; Much Speculation Concerning Outcome Of Parleys

(Reuter's Service)

London, July 15.—There is much activity in Downing Street in connection with the preparation for the conference on July 16. The weekly meeting of the Cabinet was held todsy instead of tomorrow in order to leave Mr. MacDonald free to devote his whole attention to the conference. It is understood that the Cabinet discussed the questions of foreign policy which are likely to be raised at the conference.

Mr. J. H. Thomas, the Secretary of State for the Colonies, had a further meeting with the representatives of the Dominions at the Colonial Office with regard to the representation of the Dominions at the conference, in connection with which over one hundred foreign official visitors will be in London tomorrow.

It is expected that the following will represent their countries: Britain—Mr. Ramsay MacDonald and Mr. Philip Snowden: United States—Mr. Frank Kellogg and Colonel Logan; France—M. Herriot, M. Clemental, General Nollet and possibly Marshal Foch; Italy—Signor de Stefani, Signor de Nava and the Marchese della Toretta; Japan—Baron Hayashi and Viscount Ishi; Belgium—M. Theunis and M. Hymans; while Portugal, Serbia, Rumania and Greece will also be represented.

Later.—The French delegation to the conference arrived today. It was welcomed at Victoria station by Mr. Ramsay MacDonald and members of the French Embassy. Mr. MacDonald and M. Herriot exchanged very cordial greetings, while the crowd shouted "Vive Herriot" and "Good old Ramsay." The delegation does not include Marshal Foch, but his Chief of Staff, General Desticker, is the delegate. The Italian and Belgian delegations also arrived today and were welcomed by representatives of the Premier.

CAPT. JANUARY, PIERCE SKIPPER, NOW A BENEDICK

Popular Commander Married To Miss Marjorie Gaunt, Of Lawrence, Kan.

The news didn't leak out until after the Pacific Mail liner President Pierce had cleared port for Hongkong and Manila yesterday. Then it became known about town that Captain Girard T. January, commander of the Pierce and a popular figure among trans-Pacific travellers, had joined the ranks of the Benedicks.

The bride—the ceremony was performed at San Francisco on June 17th—was formerly Miss Marjorie Gaunt, Lawrence, Kansas, beauty.

Last January, Captain January was shifted from the Pierce to take command of the President Wilson, another of the Pacific Mail fleet. It so happened that the Wilson was the boat which Miss Gaunt and her mother had chosen to carry them on the first leg of a round-the-world tour.

Miss Gaunt met Captain January. By the time the Wilson reached Japan, she had consented to marry him. But Miss Gaunt and her mother left the ship at Shanghai and in accordance with their prearranged plan continued their journey on to Europe. When Miss Gaunt arrived at Paris, she found letters from Captain January which begged for an early wedding day. When she arrived at her Kansas home she found telegrams urging her to report at San Francisco at once. She agreed, and so the ceremony was performed at the Palace Hotel in San Francisco in the presence of Mrs. Stella Gaunt, mother of the bride, and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. January, parents of the groom. Mrs. Harry D. Stevens of San Jose, Calif., sister of the bridegroom, was matron of honor, and Mr. Frank Sampson, chief officer of the steamship Newport and a former shipmate of Captain January, was best man. A honeymoon at Del Monte, Calif., followed.

Captain January was in command of the President Pierce when it arrived at Yokohama shortly after the earthquake last September and won high praise for his efforts in rescuing refugees.

Captain Robinson Honored For Work During Earthquake

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Hongkong, July 16.—In the presence of a distinguished gathering, the Governor of Hongkong this morning presented the life-saving medal of the Order of St. John of Jerusalem to Captain Robinson in recognition of his services in connection with the Japanese earthquake whilst in command of the Empress of Australia.

After the ceremony the guests were entertained to luncheon on board the Empress of Canada.

Low Air Pressure Caused Ship Blast, Navy Board Finds

(Reuter's American Service)

Washington, July 15.—The board of inquiry finds that the recent explosion on board the battleship Mississippi was due to insufficient air pressure being used in cleaning the bore of the big gun. It also finds that the fire in the upper handling room was due to the safety doors not being entirely closed.

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$1,000,000 DAMAGE DUE TO FOREST FIRES IN U.S.

Pacific Coast And British Columbia Hard Hit

ANXIETY IS FELT

Many Persons Reported Missing, But Are Found Later

(Reuter's American Service)

San Francisco, July 15.—Damage estimated at $1,000,000 has been done by forest fires along the Pacific Coast of the United States and British Columbia.

There is much anxiety in regard to the safety of villages in the path of the flames. Thirty-five persons including 11 children of the village of Wheeler's Mill in Washington, are missing. No news is available of several families of settlers at Pine Creek.

Heavy rains have improved the situation.

Later.—All the persons reported missing in the forest fires have now apparently been accounted for.

Mr. E.S. Cunningham To Be Senior Consul For The Time Being

Com. G. De. Rossi Sailing On Sick Leave Today

A letter to the Council announces that N. U. Com. G. de Rossi, Consul-General for Italy, expects to leave Shanghai on sick leave today, and that during his absence Mr. Edwin S. Cunningham, Consul-General for the United States, has consented to act as Senior Consul.

Unknown Soldier Honored In Paris

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, July 15.—On the occasion of the Fourteenth of July celebrations a striking ceremony took place before the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier. In the presence of enormous crowds, detachments of all arms defiled before the Tomb in impressive silence. By the side of the Tomb stood the Cabinet Ministers, Marshals and members of the Diplomatic Corps. A squadron of aeroplanes flew overhead. In the afternoon the American world-fliers flew over the Tomb, and were cheered by the crowds.

Fatalities Attend Religious Riots

(Reuter's Service)

Delhi, July 16.—A serious riot resulting from the aggressive attitude of Muhamedans towards Hindus necessitated firing by the military who were called in with armored cars. There were no casualties from the firing but six were otherwise killed and a hundred wounded in street fighting. The origin of the trouble was due to Muhamedans persisting in carrying a sacrificial cow through the prohibited area where Hindus reside. The Muhamedans set fire to a Hindu house and broke open a temple and desecrated the idols. Order was restored after four hours.

SUNDAY PICTORIAL

One of the loveliest private gardens in Shanghai is that of Mr. T. U. Yih, one of the leading spirits of the International Recreation Club, Kiangwan. The cost of construction of the garden is stated to be in the neighborhood of $300,000, and the whole scheme of arrangement is a triumph of art, taste and beauty. A glimpse of the beautiful garden will be [illegible] ed by some capital [illegible] graphs which we ha[illegible] able to obtain [illegible] Chinese will be reproduced [illegible] issue of The [illegible] Sunday Pictorial.

DANGER TO TIENTSIN NOT OVER, BELIEF; DYKES HIGHER

All Embankments Protecting City Have Been Strengthened

HEAVY RAINFALL

Downpour Continues In Capital; River Out Of Banks

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tientsin, July 16.—All the local dykes have now been strengthened. With prospects of better weather, it is hoped that the water will not rise further. It is emphasised that Tientsin is not affected as yet, only the outer districts being flooded, though the opinion is expressed that the danger to Tientsin is not yet over.

(Eastern News Agency)

Peking, July 16.—The inundation along the tracks of the Peking Suiyuan Railway could not be definitely ascertained owing to the interruption of the railway traffic, but it is reported that the damage at Kalgan is the worst and that there has been much loss of life and property, including live stock. According to reports reaching the Japanese Legation today, the Japanese Consulate building at Kalgan is under water to the extent of eight feet.

Peking, July 15.—The rainfall in Peking still continues very heavily and a portion of the embankment of the Yungting-ho has been broken in several places and the telegraphic connection except the cables between Peking and Chefoo and between Chefoo and Shanghai is interrupted. The damage to the railway track of both the Peking Hankow and Peking Suiyuan has become more serious and the people are uneasy.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Harbin, July 15.—There have been heavy rains from Tientsin to Harbin. The crops are looking much better than last year.

Reliable reports from Russia indicate that there is a likelihood of a famine next year surpassing all previous ones, owing to the destruction of the crops by drought, locusts and vermin.

Foes And Friends Of Dr. Yen Are Busy

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, July 13.—Dr. W. W. Yen's friends and opponents are at work trying to influence Members of the House of Representatives in anticipation of the forthcoming vote on Dr. Yen's nomination. Mr. Cheng Keh, Minister of the Interior, gave a reception yesterday to some 200 members at the Chuen Hsin Tien. Mr. Cheng is a supporter of Dr. Yen. On the other hand Mr. Moh Lin, leader of the Minichihshih, gave a reception yesterday to other Members at Taipinghu Club. Owing to the unfavorable weather both receptions were poorly attended.

According to the Chinese press, Wellington Koo gave a reception to Members of Parliament last evening at his residence with the object of aiding the cause of Dr. Yen.

Mr. Chang Yao-kuei, Director of the National Conservancy Bureau at Nanking, reports that Marshal Chi Hsieh-yuan is in favor of the appointment of Dr. Yen as Premier.

Sino-Russian Dep't Secretary Named

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, July 13.—The Waichiaopu has appointed Mr. Hsieh Shou-min to the Secretariat of the Department of Sino-Russian Negotiations. Mr. Hsu Tsen-hue, Chancellor of the Consulate-General in Canada, has been recalled for service at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

Kin Of Washington Seeks Divorce

MRS. MARY M. CRABBE

Mrs. Mary Morosini Crabbe, New York society leader and heiress to the great fortune of her father, A. P. Morisini, of Riverdale-on-Hudson, N. Y., has filed suit in Reno, Nev., for divorce from William LaFayette Crabbe, a retired captain in the U. S. Marine Corps, now living in St. Louis. Mrs. Crabbe is a great-great-grandniece of George Washington.

RUSS CONSULATE HERE TO BE HANDED OVER ON JULY 24

China And Russia To Exchange Ambassadors Shortly

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, July 16.—The Waichiaopu in a note to M. Karakhan on July 14 said that exchange of diplomatic representatives of Ambassadorial rank would be acceptable to China.

The Russian Consulate at Shanghai will be handed over to the Soviet on July 24.—The Consulate at Chefoo has already been handed over.

The Ching Pao forecasts the appointment of Mr. Liu Chenghsiang, who was Minister in Petrograd in 1911 and is now Minister in Berne, as Ambassador to Russia.

(Reuter's Service)

Peking, July 16.—The Chinese Government expects that M. Karakhan will be appointed Soviet Ambassador to China.

Suppress Bandits, Is Peking Demand

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, July 13.—The Government has telegraphed to General Ma Lien-cha, Tuli of Anhui, telling him to take immediate steps to suppress the bandit uprising in that province.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, July 16.—Tufei are reported to be steadily increasing in numbers and also in activity in Anhui. They now number 4,000 to 5,000. As a countermeasure to reinforcement of the Government troops, the tufei have taken prisoners several foreign missionaries, hoping that they will furnish insurance against bombardment. The Bank of China has been looted and wealthy townspeople have been robbed. The tufei apparently consist of dismissed soldiers and irresponsibles.

Want Admiral As Fukien Governor

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, July 13.—Admiral Tu Hsi-kuei and other prominent naval officers have telegraphed to Peking urging that Admiral Sah Chen-ping be retained as Civil Governor of Fukien, according to Chinese unofficial reports. There are indications, however, that Admiral Sah's resignation will be accepted and it is believed that the Government will appoint General Sun Chuan-fang, who is now Tupan of Frontier Defence between Fukien and Kwangtung, as Civil Governor concurrently. This appointment would check the power of General Yin-jen.

MACLAREN IS OVERDUE SIX HOURS, SHIPS BEGIN SEARCH

British Flier Fails To Reach Paramushiru On Time

DESTROYERS AID

Americans Arrive At Croydon Aerodrome Near London

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, July 16.—A report received here from Paramushiru states that Squadron-Leader MacLaren is six hours overdue and that Japanese destroyers have started out to search for him.

(Reuter's Service)

London, July 16.—The American world fliers have arrived at Croydon.

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, July 15.—The American world-fliers arrived in Paris yesterday. Before landing at the Le Bourget air-port, where a large crowd greeted them, they flew over the Arc de Triomphe and the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier. After having placed flowers on the Tomb, they were received at the Hotel de Ville and the Presidency. Lieutenant Wade declared: "When I was over Verdun, I thought: 'I am at home.'"

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Toshimoye, July 16.—Squadron-Leader MacLaren left this morning for Paramushiru. The weather is favorable.

(Reuter's American Service)

St. Paul Islands, Alaska, July 16.—The trawler, Thiepval, which has established 20 supply bases in the Aleutian Islands and the Alaska Peninsula to aid Squadron-Leader MacLaren's world flight, has sent a wireless message stating that she will arrive at Attui Island within a week.

TOKIO ARSENAL TO BE REMOVED OUTSIDE OF CITY

War Minister Answers Questions During Debate On Budget

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, July 7.—During the debate on the Budget estimates, General Ugaki, Minister for War, told the Lower House that the War Department intended to remove the Koishikawa Arsenal outside the city limits next year. The future site for the Arsenal has not yet been settled.

Discussing the army conscripts, the Minister declared that satisfactory results had so far been obtained in the disciplining of those conscripts who come into the army imbued with radical ideas. The original idea with the army authorities was to refuse to enlist such persons, but it was afterwards found that, when once enlisted, the men benefited from the training in discipline that the army gave them.

The Minister deplored the increase in the number of service-evasions on the part of educated young men, a question which the War Office was studying in conjunction with the educational authorities.

Man And Woman Sent To Arsenal

A man and a woman, Yih Foo-sung and Waung Kau-sze, were ordered sent to the Arsenal for execution yesterday by Assessor Jacobs and Magistrate Loh of the Mixed Court, for the murder of the pawnbroker, Yang Zau-su, who was found strangled in his shop at 675 Shanhaikwan Road on the night of May 14.

S. S. BELGENLAND TO BE USED FOR TOUR OF WORLD

American Express Announces Plans For Cruise Next Winter

Definite word has just been received in Shanghai regarding this year's round-the-world cruise under the joint management of the travel department of The American Express Company, Inc., and the International Marcantile Marine. It will be a unique cruise, if for no other reason than the fact that the 27,000 ton S.S. Belgenland is to be utilised, the largest vessel ever announced for a world cruise. The splendid success of last year's cruise has proved beyond doubt that the American Express have been very happy in their choice of travel time.

The Belgenland is expected to leave New York December 4 and will call at Havana, Colon, Panama, San Francisco, Hilo, Honolulu and Japanese ports, putting in at Shanghai January 27, a little later than the S.S. Franconia which so successfully circumnavigated the globe last season. Those who were fortunate enough to travel on the Franconia have been relating their experiences and their satisfaction with the tour arrangements and the unique fact of having passed 133 days without a bad storm and 123 days from New York, clear round to Gibraltar, with no rough weather at all. The maximum temperature experienced last year was 90 degrees and minimum 31 degrees, these readings being taken at noon on the bridge of the Franconia.

People from all parts of the world are already sending in their names as prospective travelers on the Belgenland and undoubtedly with the years of experience behind them, the management of this cruise are in a position to ensure full satisfaction and happy results on the biggest vessel ever sent round.

Municipal Staff Changes

The following changes in the Municipal staff are reported in the Municipal Gazette:

Fire Brigade.—The service of Probationary Sub-Officer I F. Rojdestvensky will terminate on July 31.

Mr. J. C. Bauld is appointed Sub-Officer on probation from July 2.

Police Force.—Long leave is granted to Inspector E. W. Everson and Sub-Inspector C. Powell from August 1 and July 28 respectively.

The promotion of Sub-Inspector G. C. Holt is confirmed with effect from May 1.

Health Department.—Probationer Nurses B. O. Young and A. J. Stephan are promoted to be Assistant Nurses from October 1 and December 1, 1924, respectively.

The appointment of Mr. H. Rose, Sanitary Overseer, is confirmed from April 1.

Mr. W. J. Terrill, Health Inspector, is promoted to the rank of Chief Inspector.

The appointment of Mr. G. H. Bloom, Inspector, is confirmed from April 1.

Public Works Department.—The appointment of Mr. A. E. Ratcliffe, Clerical Assistant, is confirmed from March 1.

Inspector J. H. Simpson is appointed Acting Inspector in charge of Pingchiao Quarry from July 11.

Inspector C. Aitken is appointed Acting second-in-charge of Pingchiao Quarry from July 11.

Electricity Department.—Six months sick leave is granted to Mr. J. W. Harding, Senior Clerical Assistant, from July 12.

Mr. H. P. McGuinness is appointed Charge Engineer from June 29.

Orchestra and Band.—Messrs. A. Mukss and V. S. Utkoff are appointed temporarily as Musicians from June 1.

Secretariat.—Mr. G. Arnovick is appointed Collector on probation from July 3.

Mr. W. C. C. Becks is appointed Collector on probation from Aug. 1.

CHIEF FIGURES IN NEWS OF THE DAY.

Above: MRS. ANNA LAMOTTE & JAMES BROWN
Below: PARK BENJAMIN & JOHN DRINKWATER

James Brown, a coal miner, has entered upon ten days' duty as Deputy King of Scotland and as Lord High Commissioner of the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland. While living in historic Holyrood Palace he takes precedence over every one in Scotland but the King. Park Benjamin, of New York City, brother-in-law of the late Enrico Caruso, has been jailed there for failure to pay alimony to his first wife. John Drinkwater, famous British playwright, was named as co-respondent in the successful divorce action instituted in London by the pianist, Benno Moiseiwitch, against his wife, Daisy Kennedy, the violinist. Mrs. Anna Lamotte, the "Hetty Green of the West," has returned from a tour of Europe. As a girl she purchased a few acres of land in Oklahoma and leased them to cattle raisers. She gradually increased her holdings until today she owns 55,000 acres of land there, together with large realty holdings in Kansas City, Chicago and Detroit, including an ice factory in Kansas City.

Radio Under Water

BY HENRY SMITH WILLIAMS

From time to time we hear of tests being made in mines to determine whether radio waves penetrate to the mineral depths; also of tests in railway tunnels, including the Lackawanna tunnel, near New York, and the East River tunnel of the metropolitan subway. The results are usually more satisfactory than could reasonably be anticipated, considering the interference with ordinary radio reception that results from the proximity of hills.

For example, tests made while a train was in the tunnel showed that messages were better received there than when the train was in the open, but on the lee side, so to speak, of a mountain. Seemingly the mountain cleared the ether of radio waves in its vicinity, presumably by absorption.

It would be of interest to know whether a ground connection with the mountain would bring in radio messages, but of course such a test could not be made from a moving train. Doubtless motorists who carry radio receivers in their cars will make tests along this and similar lines in the near future.

A new test of radio reception under conditions about as unfavorable as could well be devised was made recently within the steel tube of the New York-New Jersey vehicle tunnel at a point where the tube is beneath seventy feet of water and thirty feet of mud. The steel tube itself might be expected to cut off the radio waves, to say nothing of the mud and water; yet in reality the combined obstructions did not prevent radio reception. Broadcast messages from points as distant as Pittsburgh were caught up on the loop aerial and so amplified as to operate a loud speaker.

Radio reception under such circumstances cannot be fully explained in the present state of theory and knowledge. Authorities are not agreed as to the extent to which the radio waves normally travel through the structure of the earth. According to one theory, the waves travel chiefly through the earth for the first three hundred miles or so, and after that through the air, being repeatedly deflected from the so-called "heaviside layer" of the upper atmosphere.

The fact that one can often receive a broadcast program on a ground attachment, without antenna when near a broadcasting station, is adduced in support of this view; as also the various instances of underground reception above referred to.

As against this theory, however, we have the familiar observation of reception on a small loop-aerial, without ground connection, in all manner of locations—even when aboard an airship at any attainable elevation. Indeed, even the loop may be dispensed with in using a very sensitive receiver for nearby reception. Moreover, an ordinary receiver will often operate on the antenna alone, without ground connection.

In a word, the transit of radio waves through the air (etherborne, of course) is too clearly established to admit of argument. The open problem is to determine to what extent they are also carried in or through earth and water. Such tests as the one just reported in the Hudson vehicle tunnel will aid in determining a solution of this interesting question. In such a case as this the steel tube itself may conceivably be the carrier of the radio waves, having caught them up at or near the ground level—just as they are caught by the steel framework of skyscrapers.

Seismographical Stations Urged In Petition To Diet

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Tokio, July 7.—The establishment of nine new seismographical observatories throughout the country is recommended in a petition presented to the Diet by a group of Kenseikai members, which will be debated during the present week.

The necessary estimates call for an expenditure of Y.340,000 on each observatory, with an annual maintenance grant of Y.48,000.

It is claimed by experts that the existence of such observatories would greatly facilitate the study of earthquakes, and would even allow the severer shocks to be predicted with some degree of accuracy.

Ruhr Conference Opens In London

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first loan of 800,000,000 gold marks.

The Petit Parisien says that the lastnamed point was only decided on after a heated discussion, the British delegate declaring that the subscription would be difficult and perhaps impossible if the economic unity of Germany is not restored.

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, July 16.—The public interest in the opening of the Allied Conference was shown by the large crowd in Downing Street an hour before the commencement, including a number of Dominion boyscouts and many journalists and photographers.

There was a constant procession of motorcars and taxis from 10:45 onwards. The Japanese delegates were the first to arrive. Then came M. Caclamanos (Greece), General Norton de Mattos (Portugal) and M. Titulesco (Rumania), who were followed by the Serbian and Belgian delegates and by M. Herriot, who received a particularly hearty welcome, and finally by the Italian delegates. They all proceeded to the Foreign Secretary's room where they took their places at a horse-shoe table. Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, who presided, made a speech detailing the aims of the Conference.

Trade Commissioner for Germany.

D. P. MILLER

D. P. Miller, of Denver, Col., has been appointed Trade Commissioner in the Deparement of Commerce, and will be stationed in Berlin.

Tokio To Subsidise Building Company For Reconstruction

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Tokio, July 7.—In order to facilitate the restoration of the capital to its pre-earthquake basis, and to remedy the shortage of houses, prominent business men, in conjunction with Government officials, are considering the formation of a building company to undertake the construction of business offices and private residence.

The idea is that the Government should subsidise this company to the amount of half its proposed capital of Y.150,000,000, the balance to be subscribed for publicly. The Government subsidy should be used to guarantee a dividend of about 8 percent, while the buildings erected should be either rented or sold.

If plans mature sufficiently fast, a bill embodying this plan will be presented to the Diet during the present session.

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Harvard Man Heads Republic Of Albania

New York, June 15.—It is expected that in the near future the National Provisional Government of Albania, established on June 12 at Tirana, with Bishop Fan S. Noli at its head will notify the League of Nations that the country is no longer a monarchy but a republic by unanimous act of revolution on the part of the population.

This revolution began in the third week in May. After the overthrow of the administration at Scutari in the north, there were simultaneous risings at all points, owing to the masterly organisation of the revolution by the Fighting Bishop." General Prunasetti having established a provisional government at Scutari, marched south on Tirana which, after a week's siege, capitulated on June 10. Meanwhile, Colonel Redjieb Chali had reached Alessio, on the coast, which arose at his coming. Other revolutionary columns were received in the same way at Valona, Durazzo and Elbasan in the south.

According to cable dispatches—principally messages two days late from Belgrade—which have noted the progress of the revolution but not its cause, when Tirana capitulated by the rise of the municipal authorities, the four members of the Regency, had been for several days on their way to Italy, while the Premier, Ahmed Zogu, immediately fled across the mountains into Serbia. In all the principal towns the revolutionists have established provisional governments, for the old feudal and clan system has not been abolished in Albania, and the main cause of the revolution was to prevent the establishment of a highly centralised government, which Ahmed Zogu, with the aid of the Council of Regents and by the coercion of the Constituent Assembly, was about to bring into being. Whether he mediated having himself proclaimed King or not is not known for a certainty, but the rumor was spread throughout the country that such was his idea.

DUAL PERSONALITY

This Ahmed Zogu is variously described, just as was Essad Pasha, who drove out the German Kaiser's kinsman, Prince Wilhelm of Wied after the World War began. Essad's patriotism and civic virtues were highly proclaimed until an assassin got him in Paris. The French courts acquitted the assassin, who, on his return to Albania was acclaimed as the "savior of his country." Until within a few weeks Ahmed Zogu has been described as a young man of education, of great wealth and of suppassing energy, the pride of the Mati clan. It has been admitted that he dealt severely with his opponents but this "was necessary," while with Albania unified and the Government centralised, he would be wise enough to govern less harsh neighbors at Belgrade, Sofia and Athens. More recently he has been described as an ignorant despot the worst type of the "upiander" with a consuming ambition for his clan and himself.

Ahmed Zogu, having for some time been Minister of the Interior, became Premier in December, 1922, and set to work reconstructing the country under the advice of the four Regents, and with proclaimed beneficial results. These four Regents, now supposed to be in Italy, represented the four most popular creeds of the country: Djacer Ypi of the Bektashi Moslems, a sect known as "the Turkish Quakers" because they reject the "sword" of the Koran; Refik Topan of the Sunni Moslems, who with the Bektashi constitute 71 percent of the population; N. Coba of the Roman Catholics, with 19 percent of the population, and Sortir Peci of the Greek Church, 10 percent.

Last January a Constituent Assembly was elected consisting of ninety-nine members, or one to every 10,000 of the population. This assembly, under the direction of Ahmed Zogu and the Regency, at once began to draft a Constitution. Although the area of Albania is comparatively small—only 17,374 square miles, being a little over twice the size of Massachusetts—news travels slowly over the mountains and it was some time before the widely separate constituencies could be informed by their representatives that Ahmed Zogu was forcing on them a Constitution which attempted to make a nation by ignoring local, traditional and tribal rights, except in the case of the Mati clan.

ENTER BISHOP NOLI

This brought to the fore a man of an entirely different type—a man who had lived abroad, spoke seven languages and knew their literatures. This was Bishop Fan Stylian Noli, the head of the Albanian Orthodox Greek Church, which he had founded in 1908. He then, from 1909 to 1912, attended Harvard University and returned to his country just in time to see Ismael Kemal save it from the invading Montenegrins, Serbs and Greeks. Ismael, acting under orders from Rome and Vienna, landed at Durazzo, made his way on horseback to Valona, and on Nov. 28, 1912, raised the flag of George Castriot, which had not been seen in the country since the middle of the fifteenth century, when its double-headed eagle on a blood-red ground was first flown to the breeze.

When the Italians took possession of the ancient capital, Durazzo, just after the World War, the Albania Government moved to Tirana. Bishop Noli also moved his bishopric hither. He led the Albanian delegation to Geneva early in 1921, and there succeeded in having Albania admitted to the League of Nations, and later caused the Council of Ambassadors to order the Serbs and Greeks behind the Albanian frontier, until it had been demarked by commissions.

Thus Bishop Noli being with the Government at Tirana, was in a good position to observe what that Government was doing. Also his ecclesiastical office made him the vehicle through which news passed from within out and vice versa. He is not only in full sympathy with the local tribal aspirations of the people, while at the same time fully believing in Albanian unity as far as Statehood is concerned, but he also has wealthy friends in Italy and the United States. It is, therefore, only natural that the Albanians should accept him as the head of the new movement for a Republican Confederation and that the revolutionary army of between three and four thousand men should be extremely well equipped, not only with mountain and machine guns of the most approved pattern, but individually armed with high-power and automatic rifles, with plenty of ammunition. Apparently, the Government's army, consisting of fewer than 7,000 ill-equipped, ill-disciplined soldiers aided by 3,000 national policemen, already on the verge of mutiny, had no chance from the beginning.

Little is known about the origin of Albania and the Albanians. The southern part of the country was included in the semi-legendary kingdom of Epirus, while the middle part was the Illyrium of the Romans and used both by the Roman Republic and the Empire as a sort of Rotany Bay, or convict settlement. It is said that the modern Albanians are the descendants of transported gladiators and politicians who married Illyrian women.

The Turks occupied and attempted to administer the country after they took Janima in 1431. Down to 1912 they did so with two exceptions: The first, 1443-1468, when the people revolted under Prince George Castriot (Scanderberg), and in the eighteenth century when the Tosk clans of the south united with Ali Tepelen, and the Ghegs of the north established for a brief period an independent government at Scutari.

Those revolts, however, were not due to oppression, but to the desire to make the tribal idea of independence more comprehensive. The Turks only demanded two things—taxes and soldiers. The former were rarely collected, while the latter, when men deigned to serve were invariably enrolled in crack units at Constantinople. Albanian schools were not only tolerated, but encouraged. As many of the people were well to do, they sent their sons abroad to be educated. If they returned they became teachers; if they remained away they usually joined the Albanian colonies in Italy. France or the United States. There is hardly a learned profession in Italy that is not distinguished by one or more prominent Albanians. Albania was also the birthplace of one Pope. Bari itself is like a modernised Albania in miniature. In the last part of the nineteen century the only illiterates in Albania were those in the remote mountain regions. Albania has not only an alphabet and a language, but also a literature—poetical, imaginative and erudite.

When the Young Turks revolted against Abdul Hamid in 1908 the Albanians joined the movements, swearing the "Bessa," or pledge of honor, to stop all tribal feuds. But under the Young Turks they fared worse than under the Sultans, so they revolted, and just before the first Balkan war they had secured autonomy for the four vilayets of Soutari, Kossova, Janina and Monastir. But when the war came, being still nominally Turkish subjects, their country was invaded by the Montenegrins, Serbs and Greeks and only the feat of Ismael Kemal, as has been said, saved its partition between the three.

The independence then proclaimed by him at Valona was accepted with reservations by the Council of Ambassadors in the following Spring, but with greatly contracted frontiers, for, as Sir Edward Grey said. "The primary essential is to preserve agreement between the powers themselves," and Austria, one of the powers, wished that part of Albania preserved which would prevent Serbia from having a port on the Adriatic. Italy agreed with Austria. Then came the days of the Prince of Wied, who was so certain of establishing a dynasty in Albania that he gave his new-born son the name of Skender (Alexander), after the Albanian hero. Skender Beg, and had him learn the Albanian alphabet, when the World War came and Essad Pasha besieged him at Durazzo. Essad managed to maintain a directorate, playing off Italy against the Serbs and the Greeks until the Austrian invasion began. By February, 1916, the Austrians had overrun the country and had established a government of occupation at Durazzo.

WILSON SAVED ALBANIA

Meanwhile, the Treaty of London, by the terms of which Italy entered the war, had been signed in April, 1915. Articles 6 and 7 particularly concerned Albania. By the first of these articles Italy was to have Valona and the island of Sasséno lying off its harbor, together, with the littoral, while by the second, if a small autonomous State was to be established in old Illyrium, Italy was not to object to the remaining part being divided between Montenegro, Serbia and Greece. On June 3, 1917, Italy proclaimed the independence of Albania under her own protection. Then after the war came the dickering between Nitti, Lloyd George and Clemenceau, when again the territorial, if not the political, entity of the country was saved—this time by President Wilson—although the protection of Italy remained. Italy had spent several million lire; first, to open the roads to the allied armies at Saloniki in the last year of the World War, and after to secure her a pied a terre to a strategic base opposite her peninsular naval stations, and thus fortify the gateway to the Adriatic. These works were well under construction when, in the Summer of 1920, the Albanians rose en mass and drove the Italians out.

Giolitti was then Premier at Rome. It was before the rise of Fascismo and he did the biddings of the Reds and the "war weary," who demanded that no soldiers should be sent to recover Valona and the protectorate. So on Aug. 2, 1920, Albanian independence was again recognised by Italy—this time completely, without an inch of territory on the littoral. Thus Italy's dream of creating an Adriatic Gibraltar vanished.

Since then, under the inspiration of Bishop Noli, the Council of Ambassadors and the League of Nations have tenderly nurtured the rights of the country from an international point of view, while Ahmed Zogu has been trying to build up the nation internally, but, unfortunately, not in a way to suit the Albanians. A month ago the League's suspicions were aroused when he peremptorily dismissed his financial advisers appointed by it.

The danger of the present revolution was that it might drag on, so that Belgrade and Athens might have intervened on the ground of protecting their nationals, since neither the frontier in the north nor that in the south has, as yet, been fully demarked. There was also Italy's thwarted ambition in regard to Valona. Besides, there are many Italians in Albania who might need protection. At the very beginning, of the revolution, however, Italy announced her intention of not intervening in the internal affairs of the country. It is possible that she saw the revolution coming and prepared for its success in her own way. On March 1 Mussolini signed a treaty of friendship, &c., with Albania, which would remain unaltered under the new Government. The Albanian signatory was Feizi Bey Alizoti, who went back to Tirana with the treaty only to espouse the successful cause of Bishop Noli.

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A Chinese printer appeared in the Mixed Court yesterday charged with manufacturing false lottery tickets. On application of the Chinese City authorities, the accused was ordered handed over for trial in their jurisdiction.

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The operator of an opium smoking den at 45 Miller Road was sentenced to two weeks' imprisonment by the Mixed Court yesterday.

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The American Consulate in Amoy is to have a building of its own before long. Designs of the building, submitted by an American architect in Shanghai, have been adopted. The new building will be located on the island of Kulungsu, the foreign settlement of Amoy.

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The body of a foreigner was found July 6 near the Rising Sun Oil Company pier at Komagabayashi, Japan. The body is thought to be that of a man about 40 years old and 5 feet, 5 inches in height but has not been identified. No indications of violence were discovered and it is believed that the man was drowned.

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The destruction of the Peking roads through the laying of the tram line down the main streets has now reached a point where serious action is required, says the F. E. Times The heavy rains have washed away great quantities of the stonefacing of the roads and left the steel-rails in the air, so to speak, which is very dangerous to traffic. It is also felt that a rigid inspection by independent experts of the cement standards carrying the power cables should be made before cars are allowed to run, as otherwise there may be tragedies from the breaking of the wires, which have had no independent inspection or test since their erection.

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Mr. Karakhan's delegates, Mr. Borodin and Mr. Antonoff, are still in Mukden.

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Colonel Ruxton, of the Salt Gabelle, has returned to Peking after a four months' inspection trip in South China, which he states is not more disturbed than other sections of the country.

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Ads from the Canton Gazette.—In order to help those who when ill treated by rich men have no money to engage a lawyer for their vengeance, the lawyers here have started an Association, to which these people may go for help in trouble. No fee of any kind is being charged by the "Lawyers Association" when poor people go to them for help.

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Children below 10 years of age will not be permitted to enter the theaters, where the "old" theatrical performances are staged, says the Canton Gazette. A petition urging that such restriction be made has been presented by Mr. Koh Chung-yui, captain of the 11th Police Ward to the Police Commissioner, Techen Wu, who is taking up the question with the Municipal Education Commissioner. Captain Koo is of the opinion that the "old" performances do the young ones more evil than good.

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Mr. Charles A. Dailey, Far Eastern representative of the *Chicago Tribune*, and Mrs. Dailey have returned from Indo-China after an absence from Peking of nine weeks. Mr. Dailey was responsible for covering the world flight of the American aviators from Nagasaki to Calcutta for his newspaper, and after having organised the upper section of that division went to Saigon, where he made his headquarters virtually in the centre of the section between Hongkong and Rangoon, through which communications are very bad.

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The streets of the capital were awash on Saturday when three inches of rain fell from midnight to 3 p.m. This steady downpour, which caused some of the main thoroughfares such as Morrison Street to be covered with nearly two feet of water, carried down hundreds of walls and many buildings of the ordinary light Chinese construction. Telephone service in some parts of the city was interrupted.

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A Police Guild has been formed in Canton, and it has been decided that unless their arrears of four months' pay are forth-coming on a certain date, a strike will be ordered.

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The Civil Governor of Canton has officially informed the various benevolent societies and guilds of the extent of the damage done on the West River by floods, requesting immediate relief. So far the societies have called no meeting on the subject, but the commercial community has sent about $50,000 worth of rice to relieve sufferers near the banks of the river.

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A curious handbill, containing 10 characters in two lines has been distributed in Canton and Honam. It reads:—"Various gentlemen please watch; good circumstances are coming quickly." The police are ordered to arrest anyone found distributing the bills.

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It is reported that officers and engineers of ships coming within the Hongkong piracy regulations are in future to attend once a month at the Scandal Point range for pistol-shooting practice, firing 10 rounds a time. The Indian guards are required to attend similar practices twice a month.

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The gratifying report appears in the Chinese press that 300 or 400 bandits, remnants of Sun Mei-yao's pack of desperadoes who were responsible for the Lincheng outrage, have been driven from their stronghold near Paotzeku by Brig.-Gen. Hu Juyieh. The approaches to the bandits' lair were mined by Brig.-Gen. Hu's force, who, in a subsequent encounter with the outlaws, killed from 60 to 70 the rest escaping. Over 400 rifles and other arms were found by the Government troops buried in coffins.

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Reports carried in the Chinese papers say that the Central Government is planning a general "round-up" of white Russians and will send them back to Russia. The Russians in Peking, Tientsin, Hankow, Shanghai and other cities will be provided with transportation, it is said. The Chinese have asked the Soviet authorities to co-operate and to treat the deportees fairly.

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Mr. Fitzhenry, the new manager of the Banque Industrielle de Chine at Tientsin, has arrived to take the place of Mr. Bar, who expects to leave this week for France on furlough. He will be accompanied by his wife and child.

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The Chinese press continues to devote much space and comment, says a Peking paper to the Smallwood 'Stock-exchange' in the Legation quarter, some of the remarks being very humorous without any suspicion on the part of the writers. The storm seems to have been occasioned by the jealousy of the official stock exchange established a number of years ago in Peking by Liang Shih-yi when he was juggling with the national finances, a seat in the said exchange selling for $4,000 and necessitating stiff brokerage fees. The Smallwood exchange is accused of breaking the rates and, by the installation of 28 telephones, to have linked up the whole city with the basement of Messrs. Hirsbrunner and Co's premises where the Chinese dealing is carried on No. matter what case can be made out the fact remains that the Domestic Bond Market has been made a living fact in China through the enterprise of foreigners and by the guarantee of the Customs Administration.

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The situations have been worked out with the utmost fidelity to foreign methods and yet the Chinese manners and customs are made to blend more or less harmoniously into the whole. The story concerns Kang Tao and Kang Chang, two brothers who fall in love with their cousin, Fi-Lan, who comes to visit their mother and to attend school in Hangchow. The elder brother is immediately smitten with the fair maiden's charms. So is the younger. Their admiring glances across the table are intercepted by her and give rise to the neat caption "love is blind." There follows scene after scene of alternating dignified pursuit of the girl by the two brothers. The younger one, who is a college student and not yet a respectable merchant like his elder brother, is a trifle faster on his feet and takes advantage of the moon and the scenery to make known his emotions.

"Dear," he says, "for some time now Cupid has been intimating to me. How would you comfort me?" The young lady apparently is an ardent worshipper of nature and a believer in the aged-old superstition that the moon is the friend of lovers, for she points to that silvery orb floating across the sky and says "Yes; the moon is murmuring to me; she says don't let opportunity slip away."

That's all of that, but shortly afterward when the elder brother calls on her she is too occupied with her knitting to pay much attention to him. He wanders aimlessly around the set and when he sees a letter addressed to his inamorata he losses no time in opening it. He is stunned to learn that she has sent his brother an engagement ring. This, apparently, is the way they do things in China, where the women wear the trousers, and they read backwards.

The plot has been complicated previous to this by the love of Miss Shen, a primary school teacher who is discovered in several scenes putting her pupils through excellent calisthenic drills, for Kang Tao the elder brother. He has no time for the school teacher, sending back her sweater and refusing to go on a summer vacation with her when she politely invites him by letter to do so.

At the point where Kang Tao discovers that his brother and his feminine idol are engaged, he turns to drink and gambling and adopts a general course of coldness toward his relative. The younger brother decides to save the elder from his evil ways by giving up his sweetheart, but she is a modern woman and doesn't believe in marrying a man to reform him so she refuses to break their engagement. The faithful brother then believes there is no way out except the exit through a watery grave and he prepares to throw himself into the West Lake. He is saved in the nick of time by his brother and his future sister-in-law and all misunderstandings are cleared up. At the same time, Kang Tao decides that he has been a bit of a brute with Miss Shen and as she is leaving Hangchow overtakes her, begs her pardon, and gets her to accept him. It is presumed that they then go off on a summer vacation together respectably, as man and wife.

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PROBST-HANBURY TO MEET SOCONY IN HONG FINALS

Standard Oil Comany Players Spring Surpise In Semi-Finals

The semi-final rund of the long Doubles championship was played yesterday on he courts at he M[illegible]e hotel, and resulted in wins for the Probst-Hanbury pair over the Police representatives, and for Socony over he Shanghai Stock Exchange players.

The first set in he Probst-Hanbury and Police match was very hard fought, he winners, particularly John Vade, being called upon for about all the tennis they knew. After the set went to deuce Messr. Wade and Collaco got in some really brilliant tennis, winning the next two games rather handily. The final scores were 8-6 and 6-4.

The other match was something of an upset, as the Exchange men were figured to have a comparatively easy time with he Standard Oil Company's representatives. Harry Ollerdessen, playing with the Exchange men, looked to be the best of the quartette, but when the test came Messrs. Hawes and Sofoulis rose to heights unsuspected, and won two straight sets, 6-4 and 6-3.

A good crowd saw the matches.

Tomorrow the finals will be played at the same courts, and while the Probst-Hanbury team, who are the playing through champions, are expected to repeat, the Socony pair may spring a surprise. Wade is easily the best individual of the four, but Collaco, being very youthful, is at times an erratic as he is brilliant at other periods. It ought to be a good match.

Band Concert

The following program will be rendered today by the Municipal Band in the Race Club Enclosure, commencing at 9:15 p.m.

1—March, Entry of the Gladiators ..... Fucik
2—Overture, Juanita ..... Williams
3—Waltz, Tres Jolie ..... Waldteufel
4—Selection, Eileen ..... Herbert
5—Song, Sleep and Forget ..... White
6—Selection, Iolanthe ..... Gilbert-Sullivan
7—Czardas ..... Grossman

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Assistant Conductor.

BOXING TONIGHT!

Tonight's boxing card at the Carlton looks very much like it might be one of the best yet offered, with Volaire and Garcia in the final. Garcia, as is well known, is one of the best boys of his weight that ever displayed his wares in Shanghai, and one that always can be depended upon to put up a stinging battle. He is fast and clever.

Volaire will be in much better shape this time than he was the night he met Johnny Hill. On that occasion he was too finely trained, the 124 pound limit being a bit too low for him. In consequence he went into the ring too weak to show at his best. Tonight he will scale at 126 or thereabouts, and should be at his best.

These boys are sure to give the fans a good run for their money, with something to boot. Both are out to win.

In the semi final De Dios will meet Gonzalo, and this, too, should be a first class scrap. Di Dios has not appeared since his unfortunate battle with Syd Keenan, in which he was unintentionally fouled. He is in fine shape for tonight.

Tigora, who has been out of the limelight for some weeks, will take on Al Lascar, a French sailor, and on form ought to give him a good licking.

Benny Forral and Terrible Pete will mix in the curtain raiser.

It looks like a bang-up card.

ENGLANDS WINS IN TEST MATCH BY 9 WICKETS

South Africans Make Somewhat Better Showing Than Before

(*Reuter's Service*)

Headingley, July 15.—There was a small attendance on the third day of the Test Match. The weather was perfect and warm. The wicket showed signs of wearing.

The South Africans' 2nd innings closed at 12.45. England had made 17 for 1 wicket at the lunch interval. The match closed at 2.40, England's score being 60 for 1 wicket. The South Africans thus lost by 9 wickets.

ENGLAND
1st Innings

Hobbs, c. Pegler, b. Nourse	31
Sutcliffe, c. Nupen, b. Blanckenberg	83
Hearne, l. b. w., b. Pegler	20
Woolley, b. Pegler	0
Hendren, c. Deane, b. Nupen	132
E. Tyldesley, run out	15
Tate, c. Taylor, b. Carter	29
Gilligan, c. Catterall, b. Pegler	28
R. Tyldesley, c. Carter, b. Pegler	29
G. E. C. Wood, run out	6
Macaulay, not out	0
Extras	23
Total	396

Bowling: Nupen 1 for 85: Pegler 4 for 116: Nourse 1 for 67: Blanckenberg 1 for 85: Carter 1 for 47.

SOUTH AFRICANS
1st Innings

Deane, c. and b. Tate	2
Commaille, run out	4
Ward, b. Tate	17
Susskind, b. Gilligan	4
Nourse, run out	3
Taylor, not out	59
Catterall, c. Wood, b. Tate	29
Nupen, c. Wood, b. Tate	0
Pegler, l. b. w., Tate	0
Blanckenberg, b. Tate	0
Carter, c. Hendren, b. Macaulay	11
Extras	3
Total	132

Bowling: Gilligan 1 for 27: Tate 6 for 42: Maculay 1 for 23: R. Tyldesley 0 for 37.

SOUTH AFRICANS
2nd Innings

Commaille, st. Wood, b. R. Tyldesley	31
Ward, l. b. w., b. Hearne	25
Susskind, l. b. w., R. Tyldesley	23
Nourse, c. Wood, b. R. Tyldesley	30
Taylor, run out	56
Catterall, b. Tate	56
Deane, not out	47
Blanckenberg b. Tate	6
Nupen, b. Macaulay	11
Pegler, run out	14
Carter, b. Tate	0
Extras	24
Total	323

Bowling: Gilligan 0 for 37: Tate 3 for 64: Macaulay 1 for 60: Hearne 1 for 54: R. Tyldesley 3 for 63: Woolley 0 for 21.

ENGLAND
2nd Innings

Hobbs, b. Blanckenberg	7
Sutcliffe, not out	29
Hearne, not out	23
Extras	1
Total	60

Bowling: Pegler: 0 for 30: Blanckenberg 1 for 23: Nupen 0 for 6.

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, July 15.—At the Oval Surrey beat Lancashire on the 1st innings. Lancashire made 327 (Makepeace 120) and 304 for 6 wickets, declared, (Watson 105). Surrey made 386 for 8 wickets, declared, (Jardine 122 and Abel 90 not out) and 80 for 0 wicket.

At Eastbourne Gloucestershire beat Sussex by 9 wickets. Gloucester made 410 for 6 wickets, declared, (Dipper 196) and 17 for 1 wicket. Sussex made 201 and 225.

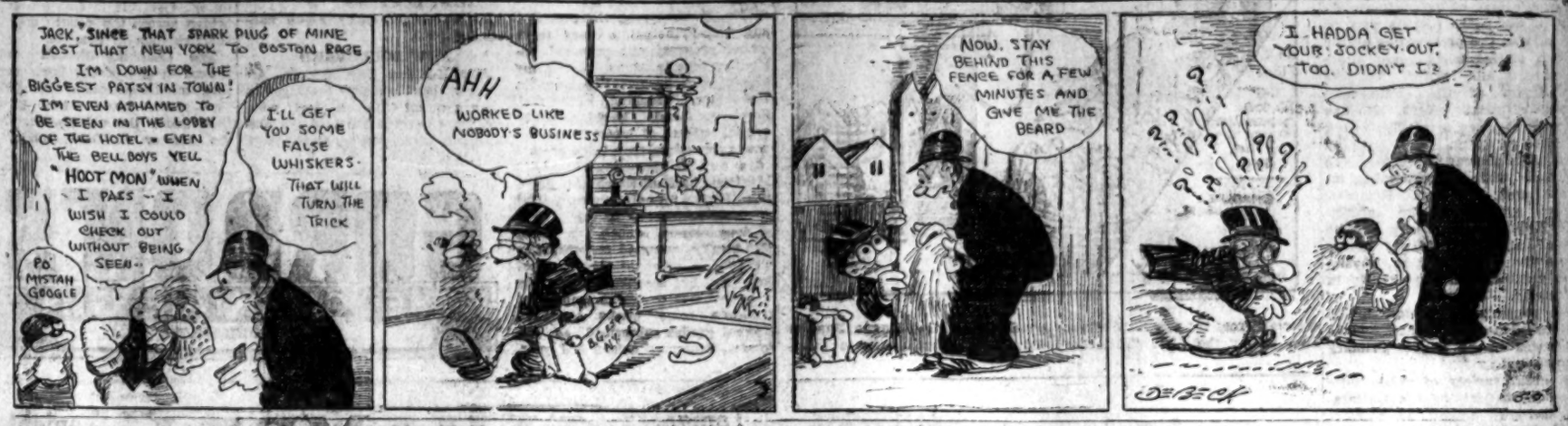
At Leicester Leicestershire beat Warwickshire by an innings and 56. Leicester made 401 for 9 wickets, declared, (King 92, Astill 88). Warwick made 188 and 157. The match was Geary's benefit.

At Nottingham Middlesex beat Notts by 27 runs. Notts made 462 (John Gunn 108, Carr 134) and 122 (Allen taking 6 wickets for 31). Middlesex made 253 and 358, (Guise 100).

At Maidstone Kent beat Yorkshire on the 1st innings. Kent made 230 and 273 (Hardinge 140). Yorkshire made 205 and 196 for 3 wickets (Holmes 105 not out).

At Bath Somerset beat Hampshire on the 1st innings. Hampshire made 453 (Day 142, Aird 131) and 160 for 3 wickets. Somerset made 675 for 9 wickets, declared, (Young 198). This is the highest score in Somerset's history and also the highest of the season.

BARNEY GOOGLE — By Billy De Beck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Russian Champions

Above are pictured, left to r ight, MM. Bouligin, Smirnsky and Kaveshnikov, holders of the Russian military rifle shooting champ ionships at various distances. Th ey will represent Russia in the Olympic games in Paris.

'A' Company British S.V.C. Monthly Cup Competitions

The competitions for July Monthly Cups were held on Wednesday, July 16, 1924, under very satisfactory weather conditions. There was quite a good muster of members, the following being the best scores returned:

"A" CLASS

	Practices 200 yds.	300yds.	300 yds.	Total	H/cap	Nett Score	
Pte. P. D. Sullivan	19	15	16	50	8.50%	45.75	(a)
Pte. H. J. Blatchford	18	17	8	43	8.50%	38.16	
C.S.M. F. E. Hodges	18	15	16	49	23.25%	37.61	

"B" CLASS

Pte. E. N. Harry	18	14	8	40	Nett	40	
Pte. A. G. Jacobs	13	12	2	27	Nett	27	

No competition

"C" CLASS

Pte. Nickells	18	14	6	38	Nett	38	(b)
Pte. G. S. Dovey	18	14	6	38	Nett	38	(c)
Pte. M. B. Brown	16	14	6	36	Nett	36	

(a)—Spoon for highest score—1st leg on second cup—future handicap 11.25%.
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(c)—Spoon for highest score.

Iron Bux Willing To Fight Two Men On Same Evening

Iron Bux, the Hongkong middleweight, craves action. He craves it so much, as a matter of fact, that he is out with a challenge to fight any two middleweights in Shanghai the same night, and guarantees to clean both or forfeit his end of the purse. His letter, addressed to this office, reads as follows:

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(Signed) Iron Bux.

Address all replies to 239 Paoshan Road, Chapei.

British Ruggers Win In S. Africa

(*Reuter's Service*)

Capetown, July 15.—The British Rugby team today beat the Combined Universities of Capetown and Stellenbosch by 9 points to 8.

S. Africans Win Bisley Rifle Cup

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, July 15.—At Bisley today South Africa won the Kolapore Cup, with a score of 1,115 points, and also the Colonial Prize of £50.

Canada made a score of 1,108 points, Great Britain 1,105, Australia 1,101, India 1,049, Guernsey 1,022, and the Gold Coast 393.

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CHARLTON FIRST IN 1500 METRE OLYMPIC SWIM

American Women Take All Three Places In 400 Metre Event

(*Reuter's Service*)

Paris, July 15.—In the third round of the Olympic lawn tennis competition Washburn (America) beat van Lennep (Holland) 2-6, 6-1, 6-1, 6-2. Williams (America) beat Macenaure (Czecho-Slovakia) 6-2, 4-6, 6-2, 3-6, 6-1. Williams and Washburn (America) beat Rohrer and Gottlieb (Czecho-Slovakia) 6-3, 6-2, 6-1.

In the Olympic games today the 1,500-meter swimming free style was won by Charlton (Australia). Arne Borg (Sweden) was second, Beaurepaire (Australia) third and Hatfield (Britain) fourth. Charlton's time was 20 min. 6-3/5 sec., which is a world's record.

The ladies' 400-meter swimming free style final was won by Miss Morelius (America) in 6 min. 2-1/5 sec. Miss Wainwright (America) was second, Miss Ederle (America) third, Miss Molesworth (Britain) fourth and Miss Shand (New Zealand) last.

The high diving final was won by Eve (Australia). Jansen (Sweden) was second and Clark (Britain) third.

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Paris, July 15.—In the third round of the Olympic lawn tennis: Kingscote (Britain) beat Granholm (Finland) 6-2, 6-0, 6-0.

Spence (South Africa) beat Woosnam (Britain) 4-6, 10-8, 6-3, 3-6, 6-3.

Gilbert (Britain) beat Gayley (Australia) 7-6, 9-7, 6-1.

Washer (Belgium) beat Hunter (America) 2-6, 1-6, 6-2, 6-1, 6-4.

Miss Wills (America) beat Mrs. Satterthwaite (Britain) 6-1, 6-2.

Gilbert and Miss McKane (Britain) beat De Morpurgo and Mlle Perelli (Italy) 9-7, 1-6, 7-5.

Baseball Results

(*Reuter's American Service*)

New York, July 15.—Baseball.

National League

Chicago 4, New York 9.
St. Louis 4, Brooklyn 7.
Pittsburg 3, Philadelphia 1
Cincinnati 7, Boston 0.

American League.

New York 5, St. Louis 4.
Boston 6, Chicago 8.
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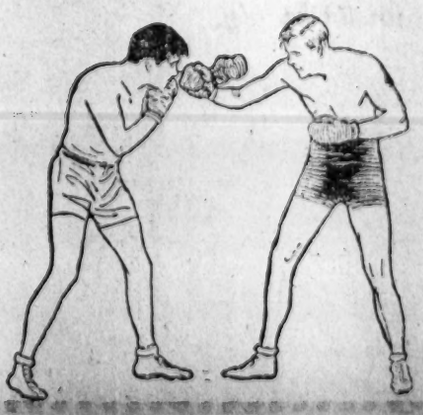

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KASHING SCHOOL HAS INTERESTING COMMENCEMENT

Many Prizes Distributed, Ground Broken For New Gymnasium

(China Press Correspondence)

Kashing, July 13.—Commencement at Kashing High School this year was unique in many ways. The first item of interest, especially to the youth of this part of China, was the presence as orator of the distinguished young literary leader and editor, Mr. Tsu Chin Long, of the Commercial Press editorial offices. He has gripped the hearts of the young thinkers of China in a peculiar way. His message therefore was received with corresponding interest and attention. His discourse grew out of the subject, "My Hopes for the Young Men of China", and he did not fail to stress the all-round man, physically, mentally, and spiritually in particular.

He presented diplomas, to 23 seniors in the High School, and 38 graduates of the Higher Primary Department.

A great variety of prizes were given to students who had attained excellence during the session. In Kashing High School we hold that the "school is society" and that students live now in the interrelation-ships, forging character, as surely as they will after graduation. Hence a great variety of activities, both curricular and extra-curricular are emphasised, in addition to the mere text book work. Activities in the "School City," the Patriotic Society, the Y. M. C. A. popular education, anti-fly campaigns, etc. are constantly recognised and recorded in a special ledger in which each boy has a "service page". School credits for home and school work are therefore a part of the regular school marks. One of the prizes was given to the student who had the highest number of service points to his credit. Whereas the maximum required for graduation was this year 1400 points, many seniors and undergraduates had from 2000 to 5000 and more points. Service is considered an essential qualification, and the whole student body has responded to the appeal.

Special prizes were given to the winners in athletic contests, including the various local field days at Kashing and the final meet at Hangchow College. Other prizes were distributed as follows: for the best speakers in English and Chinese; for the best "all-round" student in school; and the best "Little Jett" Bible Story books prepared by the students of the first and second years Higher Primary. Two prizes were given to the best stories of the "Life of Christ" in Chinese, written within the range of the famous 1000 Foundation Characters prepared by Mr. Y. C. James Yen and his colleagues in the Popular Education Movement now sweeping China. The story taking first prize was afterward rewritten and corrected and printed at the Commercial Press for special distribution among the 1500 "illiterate" graduates in the Ningpo Popular Education Schools. Those interested in these books and this movement should correspond with Miss Edith Dickie, Ningpo, Chekiang.

It is worthy of special mention that many of the prizes given were presented by Kashing High School Alumni Associations in Hangchow College and Shanghai College.

After commencement exercises, at 2 p.m. the Alumni Association met in the chapel of the splendid new building nearing completion, the Mildred Watkins Memorial; Nearly 80 members attended. Under the efficient management of Mr. S. K. Wang, the president and vice-Principal, a very interesting program was prepared, including reports from the many alumni groups functioning in Hangchow, Kashing, Shanghai, Soochow, and Nanking. The special subject of interest was the new gymnasium soon to be erected at a cost of approximately $5,000 Mexican, half of which the Kashing High School students and alumni had agreed to raise. The various alumni groups, including the faculty, assumed responsibility for certain amounts in a most loyal and businesslike manner. In a remarkable campaign among the students some weeks ago the several grades subscribed as follows: Grammar School 3rd year, $236; 2nd year High School, $200; 2nd Gram. $144; 1st High $120; 1st Gram. $95; 4th High, $76; 3rd High $60. The fourth high of senior class expects to use their subscription to instal electric lights in the gymnasium. Total by students $931.

During the alumni meeting the officers in the presence of the group, broke ground for the foundations of the building. This gymnasium project was started by the alumni and in co-operation with the Mission will be realised, according to contract, Sept. 30. The Chinese faculty alone subscribed $200.

NEW BOULEVARD

The Kashing City Citizen Assembly has recently decided to open a street eighteen feet wide leading from the heart of the city to the railroad station at the East Gate. The first section of this "Boulevard" will soon be completed, passing in front of the Taoist Temple and extending across the Kashing High School land to the moat outside the city wall which at this point has been torn down for, a distance of about 700 feet. The Kashing High School, after approval by the station, granted a right of way to the city of a strip of land approximately 24 ft. by 170 ft. to be used as a boulevard only. This street will in the end be of great service to the city in many ways. It is hoped that the bridge across the canal may be built as soon as possible.

The Chekiang Second Middle School is one of the best government middle schools in East China. The name given above is that used under the old system. Now the former "Middle School" is changed to the Junior High School, while the Normal School is linked with Junior High School as the Senior High School Department. Mr. Chi Tsong-yin, former principal, after a period of study in America and Europe, has returned as superintendent of both institutions. Next fall a maximum of 120 new students will be received. Including the practice department, this flourishing school system will have a total of [illegible] students. This year the graduates were distributed as follows: Normal School 14; Junior High & Practice Dept. 4. Especial praise is due Mr. K. W. Johnson Wong for the efficient manner in which he as acting principal conducted the school during Mr. Chi's absence in the west.

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Getting The Most Out Of Life

By Fannie Hurst

A great philosopher once made a dangerous statement.

"Live dangerously," he said.

That of course is a slogan which defies the "copy-book" school of philosophy.

Live dangerously. Why, the very two words seem to affront each other with paradox. To live dangerously means in all probability to curtail life itself.

What the eminent man meant by his phrase was simply, "get all there is out of life even at the risk of a little caution."

Not many of us understand the gentle art of getting all there is out of it. We are too intent upon that pot of happiness at the end of the rainbow to pay sufficient heed to our todays. We are content to overlook the present in our hope of the future. And what is the future, except the present waiting for us?

There is such a thing as saving up for that rainy day so assiduously that by mere auto suggestion it arrives, like a punctual guest. Some wag once said that the rainy day comes to him who waits for it. That is neither clever nor true. It is the wise man who looks ahead of the present sufficiently to insure himself against the future.

That has nothing to do with getting the most out of the present.

It isn't all in that pot and hung waiting at the end of one's youth and vitality. Happiness is a daily commodity. As negotiable as butter and cheese and eggs.

But just look at the face of any great city. Study it. See the throngs darting down into subway hoods. See the men and women with strained, dyspeptic looking faces rushing hither and thither. keeping appointments. Making trains. Oblivious to sunshine or landscape or friendly hour. Look at men on farms. Plowing with their backs to the sunrise and their eyes to the furrows.

What are we after? Happiness, of course. But the happiness that lies somewhere at end of the miles and the years of furrows? The happiness that lies beyond the rushed and nervous present of making trains and keeping appointments? Why make of happiness a mirage? Something that belongs to the future?

Daily happiness is the right of all of us. Because happiness and a sense of the God behind it give meaning to our day-by-days and keep the luster on life. Much of it can be distilled within ourselves —before we make our fortunes, too. While we are making them!

And yet how are we to continue to treat it like that not of gold at the end of things. Something to which we must sacrifice our present.

All the men and women with the distracted faces rushing and straining toward some ultimore happiness and not demanding it from each of the days that lead toward that goal! Men who dedicate their entire lives to the creation of an enormous industry on the assumption that wealth and happiness are synonymous.

The answer is, of course, that whereas such a man, with his nose eternally to the grindstone,, may find out in the end that life has handed him a goldbrick, the very gardener on his estate, on the day-by-day system, may have beaten him to happiness.

It is trite to say that the rich men of the world are by no means necessarily the happy ones.

It doesn't take much to make the genus man happy. Some of the greatest condiments of happiness cost nothing. Good humor. Loyalty. Love-of-life. Kindness. The cardinal virtues come cheap.

Take the more expensive luxuries that are supposed to aid in this tricky business of getting something out of life.

Your hear it said with a shake of the head, that an enormous number of the automobiles one sees are being purchased "on time payments." That is contrary to the keystone idea of thrift.

And yet what it actually means is that every man who is driving an automobile which he is paying for by the month is demanding his happiness in cash payments and not for delivery some future day when he may have neither the health nor the vitality left to enjoy it.

All about one sees daily evidences of the ephemeral aspect of our visit upon this planet. We are transients. Paying guests, as it were, during that interim between our birth and our death. Most of us assume that our destination is immortality. We are held up here for a reason. A sublime one. We have the right to happiness in that interim. And we arrive with the key to that happiness tucked away in the little plush case of each and every one of our hearts. That's about the abstract of it. And here is the concrete:

The man who is rated at $3,000,000 and who has not taken a vacation in fifteen years hasn't anything on the master mechanic you see out driving on Sunday afternoon in what he calls his "Tin Lizzie"—the wife and probably six youngsters tucked into it for a good old joggle through the countryside.

Happiness must be a daily commodity, even if you have to strain some of the "copy-book" philosophy to attain it.

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BATTLE FIELDS STILL YELDING WAR MEMENTOS

Search For Treasure Of War Still Goes On In Europe

Paris, June 14.—Search of the battle fields of France and Belgium for mementos of the dead, and articles of historical and commercial value is still going on. Among the things being recovered are wills scrawled on various articles apparently just before the writers went into battle, notebooks, letters, watches, money, gold fillings in teeth, etc.

The search is being made by French peasants, a few official government commissioners, private individuals imbued with a desire to preserve the historical and sentimental features of the great conflict, and prosaic treasure seekers. The French government long ago took action which put a stop to ghouls taking gold from the teeth of the dead, however.

The return of mementos of the dead heroes to near relatives has netted many a French peasant a neat sum. On the recovery of a notebook, letter or other article of sentimental value it is forwarded to the soldier's family and almost invariably the finder is rewarded. One man is said to have received nearly $1000 in one month in this manner.

Several Englishmen of note, including Ian Hay, the author, have worked hard on the English commission looking after neglected bones, and their work has resulted in not only the discovery of many relics of importance and value but in the establishment of almost numberless identities.

The American Commission had a much smaller task, because of the shorter duration of American participation and because, when America went into the war the identification tag was required to be worn by every soldier. It was an afterthought among the armies of the allies.

One wealthy Frenchman on returning to his home after the war found his rather pretentious residence intact, although every other thing for miles around had been demolished. Inside a panel in the house he found carefully concealed more than 1000 gold marks. The home had been used as a German headquarters. He reported his find to the French government which, after long consideration and an effort to find the owner decided that he could keep it with the payment of a small tax.

Officials of the allied governments make every effort to return to Germany every article of value of German origin to relatives of the dead German soldiers.

Comparatively few valuables have been found among the German dead. Experts agree that the Germans were not permitted to carry as many personal articles as were the allied soldiers. Moreover, the Germans probably searched their dead more than did the allies. Many German dead were found with their pockets turned inside out.

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Former Caliph, Living In Poverty, Hopes For Return To Rule Of Islam

BY FERDINAND TUOHY

Territet, Switzerland, June 3.—

I received in the same week
the Pope and Caliph, spiritual
ads of half the world, is a rich
perience, made richer by con-
, by the stately panoply sur-
nding the one and the exiled
nt of the other, stuck fast in a
ic hotel de luxe.

I wish to tell you all about
e Caliph—the genial, handsome,
rly gentleman in the suite
w, and with whom I have
, privileged to spend a goodly
of the afternoon telling him
Mussolini and the Pope and
eare and the Teapot Dome and
Dawes and the Agha Khan,
listening in return to the Com-
der of the Faithful and to his
retary, Keremit Bey, relating the
nfall and plight of the "Shadow
God Upon Earth."

It was, I was duly impressed, not
interview, rather a reception.
he it. And the reason His Ma-
ty had deigned to honor me thus
bove all previous suppliants,
parently) was because he had
been received by the Christian
pe. The Caliph considered that
fficient recommendation; even
it required two hours' solid
rument on the terrace of the
el with his secretary before the
er would even approach the
ence.

For, mark you, the Caliph has
ndoned no whit of his claim to
Mahomet's representative upon
th consequent on his banish-
nt at the hands of Mustapha
mal and the Angora Assembly.
is "Majeste" all the time and
uet be shown the usual honors
corded royalty, such as leaving
e room face toward him, &c. In
is I was duly schooled, as in my
ening phrase.

Also, I had to prepare a list of
e questions to which I desired
swers, though confessedly it was
ot so much in pursuit of a cross-
amination regarding the future
Islam (the replies would have
en too obvious) as an intimate
cture here of the man himself—
w democracy deals with a world-
ide religious institution 1,200
ears old—that I had come to
rritet.

A STURDY TYPE

"Permit me, Your Majesty, to pay
omage to you," I said bowing.

"Sit down, sit down, I pray you,"
the Caliph in cultured
, —ing me to the only
and extending his hand
while he took an ordinary chair
opposite.

Ventured: "Your Majesty has,
seems, expressed surprise that
Americans should be interested in
Islam. They are interested in
everything and particularly in the
kind of thing that has happened
to Your Majesty."

In the mind's eye one saw this
jovial, kindly-faced old man—he is
only fifty-six, but snow white—
lugged out of his happy Bosporus
retreat.

While he muttered words of
thanks for sympathy shown I
studied the Commander of the
Faithful and his surroundings.
Abdul Medjid, twelfth collateral
descendant or "son" of Selim, first
Turkish Caliph, A. D. 1524, is a
sturdy type with finely chiseled
features and good brown eyes.

His white mustache he wears
with a jaunty upward curl. His
beard is likewise neatly trimmed.
To conceal, I presume, a drooping
left eyelid, he sports a monocle.
Indeed, except for the eternal red
fez, the whole effect is strongly
Occidental, even to spats and care-
fully cut lounge suit. This Wes-
tern appearance was explained to
me by the fact that His Majesty,
as the cousin of succeeding Sultans
and Caliphs, had spent the thirty
years of his life since his youth in
a quiet pursuit of the arts, either
at Constantinople or in Paris. In
fact, only on the rarest of occasions
during his eighteen months' ten-
ancy of the Caliphate had he driven
out on Fridays to San Sophia on
the Government's order, there to
preside at prayer with the multi-
tude of Stamboul around him also
facing Mecca at sundown.

BEREFT OF CEREMONY

Abdul's omcial career had been
singularly bereft of panoply or
ceremonial, his only two exits be-
ing once on a white charger and
once in a state barge. Now, as the
prisoner of Territet, he had once
again turned to the arts for occupa-
tion and forgetfulness. Rising
with almost boyish glee, he went
over to the bay window and
brought me back a sketch signed in
what one might call "caliphoglyph-
ics," since only the Caliphs can
use this particular lettering. The
rough pencil drawing was of the
magnificent pile of snow-clad Alps
opposite, the highest peaks in
Europe. The Caliph apologised for
its vagueness.

"I have only this pencil," he said.
"I was obliged to leave so hurriedly
that I could not bring my paints
and I cannot afford to buy any
here."

I learned of the exit from Con-
stantinople. The party had been
given six hours in which to board
a train and leave for Switzerland.
"What could we do in that time
by way of preparation? We know
nothing of what was going to be-
fall. Everything had been allowed
to proceed normally at the palace
of Dolma Batche. Then suddenly
the blow fell," he said.

"Was there any truth in Kemal's
charge?" I queried.

"His Majesty has answered that
in his proclamation to the Moslem
world," broke in Secretary Keremit
Bey. "It is untrue to say that His
Majesty ever took any part in poli-
tics."

Interrupting, the Caliph showed
me a colored cubist concoction.
"What is that?" he asked. "It is
dreadfully ugly."

"So are other things" (presum-
ably Kemalism), he echoed cryp-
tically and with a shrug of con-
tempt. Then he proceeded:

"Religious faith developes the
noblest faculties of the human
soul. Also those who seek to
combat its influence cannot be
numbered among the servants of
progress. The spirit of Islam not
only doesn't hinder real progress,
but, on the contrary, demands it
and stimulates it. The history of
civilisation is there to testify to it.
In remaining faithful to this fun-
damental conviction the East, cra-
dle of all divine religions, will
again, thanks to the All Powerful,
render great service to civilisation
and to humanity."

SHOWS HIS LIBRARY

This was much to get from the
Caliph if one recalls that his one
previous utterance from Territet,
his proclamation challenging the
the Kemalists' abolition of the
sacred institution of the Caliphate,
had cost his Majesty a promised
pension and all his earthly goods
and chattels and had brought down
upon him a polite warning from
the Swiss Federal authorities that
further polemics, either religious
or otherwise, could not be coun-
tenanced if His Majesty were to
continue to reside on Swiss soil.

So we passed again to lighter
things. Abdul pathetically showed
me his library, a dozen or so, of
volumes, principally French poetry
on Turkey and which he had man-
aged to bring away with him.
One volume illustrated in color he
produced with evident pride. Well
he might for it showed the twelve
"sons," or collateral Caliphate de-
scendants, who had come down
from Selim, himself, Abdul, here
present among them.

How many other men one won-
ders, can go back directly son to
father for 400 years? I congra-
tulated this record-bearer and once
again he grew sad and reminiscent.

"Yes, it is a pity. Here we are
in Ramazan, our holy period, and
for the first time the faithful can-
not express themselves. I get the
letters showing that one dare not
mention any longer even the word
'Caliph' in Constantinople. Those
letters coming from the humble are
very sad."

Abdul looked out wistfully across
the still waters of Lake Geneva.
His secretary interjected: "But
His Majesty has other things to
occupy him. He is writing music."

The Caliph laughed as if to say:
"Yes, but nothing serious." Still
he talked about his compositions.
One is an ambitious work, a sym-
phony. The other is a hymn and
part of the motif of this, composed
in the sad evenings of Territet, His
Majesty consented to permit
to be reproduced, duly auto-
graphed by him. Unfortunately,
as with the easel and paint box,
His Majesty cannot afford a piano
in his rooms; so composition is
handicapped. But he has a violin,
the playing of which, plus the
reading of poetry and sketching the
mountains and lake, occupy much
of his time in exile. Here per-
haps a peep behind the scenes at
the Grand Hotel may be permis-
sible.

HELD UP AT FRONTIER

The Caliph arrived here with his
entourage late one March night
after five days journeying from
Constantinople. He and his party
were held up at the frontier and
only at the personal telephonic
intervention of the Caliph himself
would the Berne authorities permit
him to proceed to Territet, which
he had come to know and like in
other days and which incidentally
was the refuge of the deposed
Khedive of Egypt during the war.

The fleeing party was composed
of His Majesty, his four wives,
three of whom are known here as
"ladies in waiting" because the
Swiss do not recognise polygamy,
his son, Prince Farout, next in
line; the latter's wife and "lady in
waiting" and two young children;
the Caliph's young daughter, his
doctor and two secretaries. The
Caliph was handed the equivalent
of $5,000 with which to go out and
face the world afresh, while an
allowance of $500 apiece was made
to each of the others, which joint
Fund is rapidly being exhausted
in a Swiss hotel de luxe. In fact,
within a few weeks the Com-
mander of the Faithful will be
penniless. Already it is no secret
that he cannot meet his hotel bill,
which for fifteen persons mounts
to about $1,000 weekly here in the
height of the season at this fash-
ionable English resort.

It was proposed that the party
take up its abode in a villa at St.
Cloud, near Paris, but the figure
was found to be too high, while
there were also political considera-
tions to be met.

MUST STAY INDOORS

Life for the exiles would be
singularly exasperating were they
not Turks. There are few more
beautiful places in Europe than
Territet in springtime. Imagine,
then, having to spend most of your
time indoors. That is what this
pathetic little party more or less
has to do, the men for lack of
funds with which to do otherwise,
the women because it is the stern
law of Islam. The six grown-
up women comprising the party
have not left their rooms in two
months and only slit out on their
balconies after nightfall lest any
infidel eye should happen upon
them.

The Caliph's four wives have
turned their room into a dormi-
tory, and all sleep together. They
are round about thirty to thirty-
five, I was told, typical olive-
skinned, plumpish Turkish women,
but with striking "green slits of
eyes." They do not veil them-
selves and wear ordinary European
clothes of sombre hue, with a
black scarf over the head and round
the forehead.

Whatever do they do in their
hotel prison day after day, week
after week? Very simple, very
Turkish. They just sit around on
cushions and divans and eat sweet-
meats and sip coffee and tell
stories. They do not smoke, nor
do they take stimulant in any
form since they may take nothing
"that dulls the brain." Sometimes
they lunch or dine with the men,
sometimes alone, the food being
the normal hotel menu less certain
items and ingredients forbidden
during Ramazan, or altogether.

The wives also have been heard
playing little string instruments
and singing in that wailing,
Oriental monotone so unenspiring
to Western ears, however pretty
the voice.

The Caliph himself, on the other
hand, is visible to all and sundry
for two hours daily, when, rain or
shine, he sturdily takes his exer-
cise up and down the terrace of the
hotel abutting on the lake. At
first His Majesty used to come
down and mix with the other
guests in the hotel. He even was
known to dine in the restaurant
upon one or two occasios and to
watch the dancing, but as the
financial situation got worse, he
showed himself less and less 'till
now he never goes anywhere at all
save straight from his rooms to
the terrace for his constitutional.

HAS NO SERVANTS

He has no servants, practically
no visitors and a very limited mail,
chiefly Turkish newspapers. He
neither smokes nor drinks and has
no spare money to go on excur-
sions, or even to the cinema. In
exile the one survival of his life as
Caliph concerns his intricate daily
ablutions before prayer.

When the hour for his exercise
drew near His Majesty was quot-
ing to me extensively from the
Koran, his main purpose being
apparently to combat the notion
propagated by the Nationalists that
the Caliphate was a bar to pro-
gress.

"Mahomed a dit—Cherchez la
science meme en Chine," he in-
stanced. He was working himself
up against any further spread of
the gospel that "religion is the
drugging of the masses," first
enunciated by Lenin. But once
again his discreet secretary turned
aside the conversation, and I took
my leave to a story of how His
Majesty had once painted the pic-
ture of a woman getting into a
caique at Dolma Batche, how
Pierre Louye, the French author,
had called it a masterpiece, how
it had been hung in the Paris
salon and how the exile keenly
desired that honor anew.

A little later you might have
seen the Caliph tramping up and
down on the terrace. Flanked by
his son and a secretary and wear-
ing the fez, now he lit up into
obvious indignation at his lot as a
penniless prisoner, but more often
the promenade devolved for these
outcasts into a brooding silence,
heads cast down. One with diffi-
culty suppressed an emotional surge
when, at the close, the Commander
of the Faithful going alone to a
far corner of the public promenade
turned toward the setting sun, for
that way Mecca lay, toward a sun
setting in a golden riot behind
Mont Blanc, and offered up his
evening prayer, silently with bent
head, while below him on the
tennis courts there rang out in
joyous young English: "Play!
"Deuce! "Fault!"

REASONS FOR CRASH

Is that scene, one wonders, to
mark the end of the most wonder-
fully sustained link between
Church and State the world has
even known? Very probably so, at
least as far as Turkey and the
House of Osman is concerned.
And the main reasons for so think-
ing are:

The iron will of Kemal.

The easy going artistic character of Abdul Medjid.

The likelihood of some lesser potentate, such as the British propped Hussein of Hedjaz, or the French puppet Mouley Hazid of Morocco, claiming the Caliphate.

Although the atmosphere at Territet regarding future plans was difficult to penetrate, one gathered there is hope that a pan-Islam conference for a settlement of the Caliphate question may be staged in Cairo next March. The present incumbent would naturally like to see the House of Osman perpetuated at that conference, but, should the Moslem world decide otherwise, would be prepared to make way. But he believes, and says that ample evidence has come his way, since his deposition, that a new earthly link with the Prophet is essential to the maintenance of the Islamic faith and that any one who argues to the contrary, who holds that a great religion can be carried on abstractedly, errs lamentably. Meanwhile the exiles are in a difficult enough situation.

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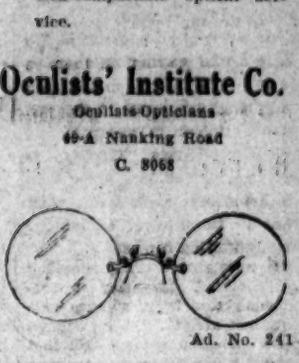

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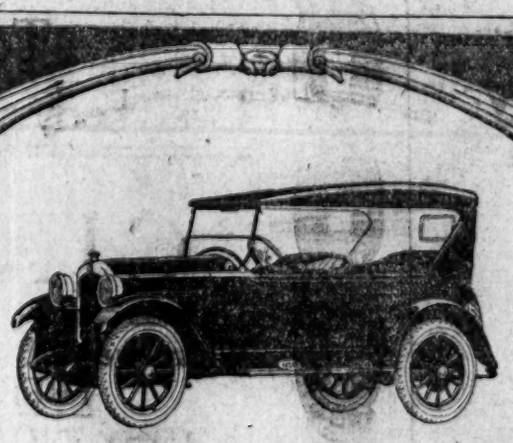

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Madrid Contemplates Bold Stroke To Restore Order

Tangier, June 14.—Since the death on October 4 last year of the Shereef Mulay-el-Mehdi, the Sulton's Khalifa in the Spanish zone of Morocco, this important post has been vacant. By treaty the Spanish government has the right to submit the names of two persons to the Sultan, of whom his Shereefian majesty chooses one as his representative. The Spanish conferred upon the Khalifa regal honors, and his imperial highness used to appear in state with most of the attributes of the sovereign he represented, even to the imperial parasol.

It is persistently rumored that as the successor of Mulay-el-Mehdi the Spanish government proposes to nominate the famous Raisuli. If true it will be a bold stroke. There is no doubt that Raisuli is the predominating figure in the Spanish zone, for whereas the Rif leader, Abdel Krim, has suddenly sprung into celebrity by his efficient organisation of the war against the Spaniards, Raisuli is of very ancient lineage and is a Shereef, or descendant of the prophet.

He is, too, surrounded by a sort of mysterious reverence largely mingled with fear. He is a hard master, a skillful diplomatist, a possible friend, and a most unpleasant enemy.

If he be appointed Khalifa, he will govern the tribes of northwest Morocco, and the Spaniards themselves, with a heavy hand. He will probably restore and preserve order when it suits him.

It would seem probable that if Raisuli were appointed the Spaniards would withdraw their troops to the coast, which many people consider the only policy likely to be successful. In this case Raisuli will practically be Sultan over the western part of the Spanish zone, while Abdel Krim will enjoy a certain measure of independence if he can be brought to terms in the Rif.

It is a policy that is daring but not impossible of good results, but it has its difficulties and risks.

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GOSH BEVERLY YOU SHOULDA YELLED FORE BEFORE YOU HIT THAT BALL!! YELL FORE!!
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SHOCKED THEM TO DEATH - I SAY I ALMOST DIED MYSELF WHEN I HIT IT - GOSH I NEVER SAY FORE! BECAUSE 19 TIMES OUT OF 20 I MISS THE DARNED BALL!
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HES NO BARGAIN
SOUND YOUR A
OUTDOOR SPORTS
RAZZING THE DUFFER WHO JUST DROVE WITHOUT GIVING THE OLD COLLEGE YELP
TAD 3-18

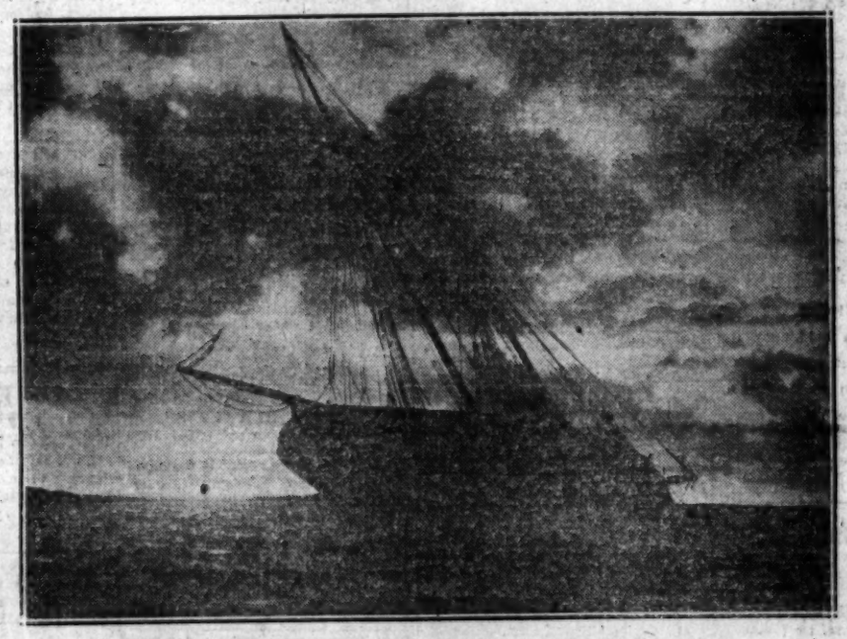
TELLING THE NEWS WITH PICTURES

HIGHBALL ENTIRELY WITHIN LAW—Miss Teddy McKean and Miss Inez Noble, crack operators in Salt Lake City, Utah, are shown testing model semaphore ("highball" in railroad parlance) over which President Coolidge will give signal officially to open Yellowstone Park travel for 1924. (Int'l Newsreel)

MISS GLORIA BRAGIOTTI (right), one of most beautiful girls in Boston, as she appeared at recent outdoor dance for charity. (Int'l Newsreel)

WHAT DO MOTION PICTURE STARS DO WITH THEIR MONEY?—Viola Dana, diminutive player, owns one of largest garages in Hollywood, Cal., where her head mechanic is showing her defective piston. (Int'l Newsreel)

TRYING GAS CURE—Dr. Harris (left) with Health Commissioner Monaghan (right), of New York City, with staff, test chlorine gas cure for colds, which will be used in all city hospitals. (Int'l Newsreel)

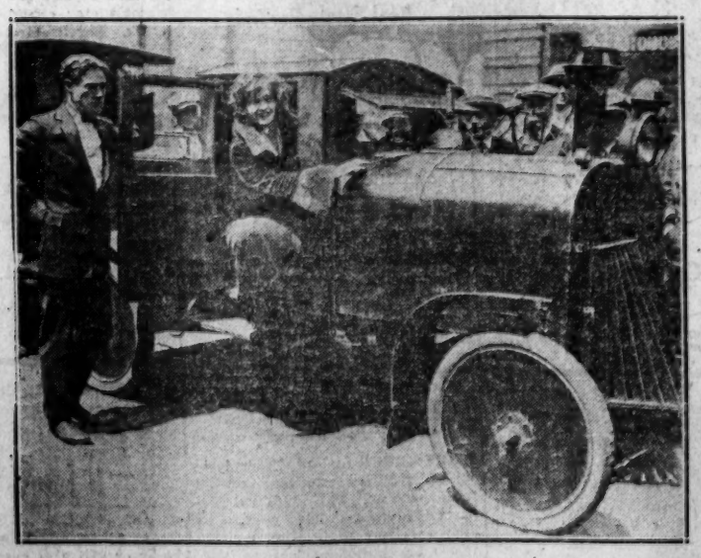


BOOTLEGGER'S END—This old schooner, first to visit "Rum Row," off New Jersey coast, with illicit cargo of liquor, made her owners millionaires. Now, water-logged, she is slowly sinking, abandoned in harbor of Nassau, Bahamas.

MISS HARRIET NERBOVIG was crowned Queen of Annual Festival of Northwestern University, Evanston, Ill. In addition to her beauty, she was chosen for her high scholastic standing and school loyalty. (Int'l Newsreel)

FLOATING DRY DOCK COMES UP "LOPSIDED"—Steamer Catherine is shown in floating dry dock in St. Thomas, Virgin Islands, which gave way recently, severely damaging vessel. Dock was forty years old.

MISS GLORIA GOULD, New York society star, did gypsy dance at charity bazaar. (Int'l Newsreel)



HENRY WOULDN'T RECOGNIZE 'EM—When Jack Tucker, of Chicago, toured to New York last Summer, he wasn't comfortable. So he bought three Lizzies, dismantled 'em and built this conveyance, which he is now using in Western tour. (Int'l Newsreel)

MRS. JOSEPH BABCOCK, of Pekin, China, with her husband, drew up rules for Mah Jong as it is now played in America. She has Mah Jong set thousand years old. (Int'l Newsreel)

EXCITING MOMENT—Capt. John P. Neu and Capt. S. B. Tupper, U. S. A., fight for ball in polo match at Fort Hamilton, N. Y.

MISS LISBETH HIGGINS, New York society girl, is shown with her prize winning mount, "Fandago," at Fort Hamilton, N. Y., horse show. (Int'l Newsreel)

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SHANGHAI, THURSDAY, JULY 17, 1924

Business and Official Notices

Municipal Notification

No. 3278

6% SILVER LOAN 1924.

Notice is hereby given that Provisional Receipts numbered 1 to 93 in respect of the above Loan will be exchanged for the corresponding Debenture Certificates on presentation at the Finance Department (Loans and Banking Office) No. 16 Hankow Road.

By order,
J. M. McKEE,
Assistant Secretary.

Council Chamber,
Shanghai, July 10, 1924.

69099 J 19

In the International Mixed Court of Shanghai

Chinese Civil Case No. 2396-A

Tsauh Wei Ming (邹慕民)
Proprietor of Wei Tshang Paint Store
(惠昌漆號)
517 Foochow Road

In Bankruptcy.

A petition in bankruptcy has been filed in the above matter, and, by an order of this Honorable Court, dated 7th July, 1924, the undersigned are appointed Interim Receivers.

Take notice that the Court will grant the petition unless objection thereto is lodged within two weeks.

Creditors are required to send to the undersigned their names and addresses and particulars of their debts or claims on or before 7th August, 1924 after which date no further claims will be recognised.

All debts due to the estate should be paid to us forthwith and debtors are warned not to pay their debts to any person or persons other than ourselves.

SETH, MANCELL & McLURE,
Official Court Accountants.

7 Avenue Edouard VII,
Shanghai, 16th July, 1924.

69243 J 18

In the International Mixed Court of Shanghai

Chinese Civil Case No. 2407-A

Re: SUNG DAH BANK
(生大銀行)
431, Nanking Road

In Liquidation.

A petition has been filed for liquidation under the supervision of this Honourable Court, and, by an Order of Court dated 8th July, 1924 the undersigned are appointed Interim Receivers.

Take notice that the Court will grant the petition unless objection thereto is lodged within two weeks.

Creditors are required to send to the undersigned the names and addresses and particulars of their debts or claims on or before 15th August, 1924 after which date no further claim will be recognised.

All debts due to the estate should be paid to us forthwith and debtors are warned not to pay their debts to any persons or persons other than ourselves.

SETH, MANCELL & McLURE,
Official Court Accountants.

7 Avenue Edouard VII,
Shanghai, 15th July, 1924.

69213 J 22

S.S. "President McKinley" from Seattle

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

Examination of Ship's damaged cargo ex the S.S. "President McKinley" V-67-W. will be held at the China Merchant Lower Wharf on Saturday, July 19th, at 9.30 a.m. when Messrs. Eisler, Reeves and Murphy, Marine and Cargo Surveyors will be in attendence.

ADMIRAL-ORIENTAL LINE,
MANAGING AGENTS, U. S. SHIPPING BOARD.

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Mr. B. Roth boarded a Tram Car No. 1 going to Bubbling Well district when the Conductor Jammed his Right-hand thumb in the New-"Jail"-Door and he is now in the General Hospital.

Thanking those who will communicate with me.

LOUIS F. ROTH

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S.S. "DEWEY" from Portland, Oregon

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

An examination of ship-damaged and broken cargo ex. the above vessel will be held at the Chang Kah Pang Wharf, on Saturday, July 19, 1924., at 10.30 a.m., when Messrs. Eisler, Reeves and Murphy, Marine Surveyors, will be in attendance.

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Notice

Know all men that on and from the 25th June, 1924, Mr. H. T. Niem has transferred the whole property of the goods and chattels of the Fei Lung Garage into the hands of Mr. H. Y. Cheng, and Mr. H. Y. Cheng becomes the sole proprietor of the Fei Lung Garage.

H. T. Neim (prop. before June 25th, 1924)

H. Y. Cheng (prop. from June 25th, 1924)

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Notice of dissolution of Partnership

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned and carrying on business as Architects and Engineers, at 60 Kiangse Road, within the International Settlement at Shanghai and elsewhere in China has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 15th day of July, 1924, so far as concern S. L. Wong (黃錫霖) and Y. C. Lu (呂彥直) who retire from the said firm. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid respectively by Yang-Mo-Kuo (過養默) who will continue to carry on the said business under the same name as heretofore, viz.: SOUTH EASTERN ARCHITECTURAL AND ENGINEERING COMPANY.

(東南建築公司)
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L. A. LYALL,
Commissioner of Customs.

CUSTOM HOUSE,
Shanghai, 15th July, 1924.

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Our telephone numbers have now been changed to

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Notice

I, hereby, beg to announce that I have retired from and severed all connections with The Southeastern Architectural and Engineering Company of 60 Kiangse Road, Shanghai as from the 15th day of July, 1924, and I have this day started practice as Architect, Engineer, Surveyor and Estate Agent on my own account at the Kiangsu Bank Building 51A Kiangse Road, Shanghai under my own name.

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June 23rd, 1924. 69102

Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation.

SHANGHAI BRANCH

Our Head Office advise that by order of the Court of Directors their Register of Shares will be closed from the 28th July to the 9th August both days inclusive, during which period no transfer of shares can be effected.

As all transfers of shares on the Shanghai Register have to be effected in Hongkong, it is essential that all applications for transfer reach this Office before the 21st July.

A. R. Lowson
Ag. Manager.

Shanghai, 15th July 1924.

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that in accordance with the Resolution passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on 20th June, 1924, the Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 25th July 1924 to the 31st July 1924, both days inclusive, in order that the list of shareholders entitled to the new issue of shares may be compiled.

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Notice of Removal

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The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from July 15, 1924, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Directors,
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Shanghai, July 9, 1924.

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SPECIAL DAILY FEATURE

FINANCIAL AND TRADE ARTICLE

MONEY IS NOW PLENTIFUL IN U.S.; BUSINESS IS UNCERTAIN

Curtailment Seen In More Lines Of Industry

TRADE SLOWS UP

Retail Business Is Below Level Of Last Year

Money in the United States is the cheapest it has been since January, 1917, according to the recent report of the National Bank of Commerce in New York City. It is the expectation that the easy conditions will prevail until the course of business becomes clearer.

In the same resume it is stated that business at the moment in America is without definite trend. Further curtailment of operation has taken place in some industries in the last 30 days, especially in iron and steel, the manufacture of automobiles and allied lines, and cotton textiles. There is a considerable unemployment in textile centers, in localities where iron and steel is the major industry and in the coal-mining districts.

Retail trade is somewhat below the levels of the corresponding period of last year. The unseasonable weather has been a deterrent influence but it is likely that the loss of trade from this cause will be made up. Wholesale trade is inactive, buying of all kinds being on a strictly hand-to-mouth basis, as has been the case for a long time. The trend of wholesale prices continues downward, but at a slow rate.

CROP PROSPECTS

This is a period of the year in America when business is influenced by the uncertainty of crop prospects. The outlook for the fall of 1924 is even more than ordinarily dependent on yields and prices of the crops now being grown.

The major business problems continue to be the curtailment of agricultural purchasing power and the overbuilt condition of many manufacturing industries. If crops are average and they move at prices as good or better than those prevailing in the marketing season of 1923-24, there is every reason to expect better business in practically all lines during the autumn months. Farmers will buy liberally if they can do so.

By the end of July the wheat crop of the United States will have been mostly harvested and it will be possible to form an intelligent idea as to the prospects for corn and cotton, and very shortly the campaign issues will be definitely settled.

Regardless of crops and politics, it is stated that it is imperitive that business interests of the country should buckle down and work out their own salvation rather than wait and hope for the so-called "upward swing." It is pointed out by experts that bankers, farmers, manufacturers and merchants alike must abandon the illusion that the cost of doing business is or at least ought to be the dominant factor in determining selling prices.

A series of fundamental readjustments have been in progress in American business ever since 1920. The depression of 1920-21 marked the first stage, the elimination of credit inflation. The downward trend of industrial activity, which first became evident about a year ago, was the second stage. At that time it was first conclusively demonstrated that at current price levels the productive capacity of many industries is definitely in excess of current domestic consumption and of probable export demands combined.

GIVE UP EXTRAVAGANCES

Every business organisation faces the problem of costs, the solution of which cannot be evaded. It is a many-sided problem, involving wages, labor efficiency, and, above all, the many items lumped together as "overhead." Organisations, like individuals, are compelled to give up extravagant habits.

The prices of raw materials are down. The wholesale prices of many kinds of goods are now at reasonable levels. It is the consensus of opinion that retail prices have not been similarly liquidated.

Call money continues to be in abundant supply. Offerings of commercial paper are meager but well-known names are rapidly absorbed. All classes of securities have continued to advance in recent weeks, as a result of the abundance of funds seeking

Commercial News

WHEAT IN CANADA IS DELAYED DUE TO COLD SPELL

Spring Crop's Condition Is 96 Per Cent. Of 10 Year Average

Ottawa, June 15.—The Dominion Bureau of Statistics states that everywhere the spring has opened very late. In the Atlantic provinces the weather during May was cold, with frosty nights and high winds, and seeding was not completed by the end of May. Pastures and hay lands were looking well. In Quebec the weather during May was generally cold and wet and seeding was only possible toward the end of the month. Crops where sown were germinating slowly. Pastures were looking well. In Ontario owing to cold, wet weather all vegetation showed slow growth and many farmers had not finished sowing. In Manitoba the season is late, cold weather with frosty nights resulting in slow growth. With warmer weather, however, rapid improvement was expected.

In Saskatchewan the earliest date of seeding was reported as April 10. The earliest appearance of wheat above ground was on April 25. The weather during May was cold, with frost at night, especially during the third week, which retarded growth, but wheat has fully recovered from the effects of frost and taken good root. Warm weather and rain will be welcomed in June. Other grains were just being sown during the past two weeks and are not very far advanced. In Alberta the season is late. Germination has been rather slow in southern districts owing to lack of moisture. Here, too, grasses and pastures needed rain. In the center and north there were frosts, which cut down some wheat. This has recovered. Showers fell toward the end of May and crops are now making good progress.

In the Yukon, British Columbia, Alberta and parts of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island the normal May temperature was exceeded. In the southern interior of British Columbia the excess was more than five degrees and amounted to eight at Kamloops. Elsewhere the excess was small. In Saskatchewan, Manitoba, Ontario, Quebec and New Brunswick the mean temperature was lower than the normal. The greatest deficiency was in Manitoba and the northern parts of Ontario and Quebec, ranging from five to nine degrees. In southern and eastern Ontario, Quebec and most of New Brunswick precipitation was considerably greater than the normal amount. Rainy days were very frequent in Ontario and western Quebec.

The condition expressed as a percentage of the average yield per acre for the ten years 1914-23 was on May 31 for all Canada as follows, the figures within parenthesis representing the condition on the corresponding date in 1923: Fall wheat, 97 (93); spring wheat, 96 (98); all wheat, 96 (98); oats, 94 (95); barley, 94 (94); rye, 92 (98); peas, 90 (93); mixed grains, 91 (96); hay and clover, 96 (99); alfalfa, 95 (98), and pasture, 91 (95). In the prairie provinces the condition of the principal cereals on May 31 is reported as follows: Manitoba—Wheat and oats, 92 (94); barley, 92 (91), and rye, 95 (103). Saskatchewan—wheat, 92 (96); spring wheat, 97 (100); oats, 97 (98); barley, 97 (99), and rye, 88 (97).

Hongkong Stocks

Messrs. Ellis & Co. yesterday received the following quotations by cable from Hongkong:—

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corpn.	1160 buyers
Hongkong Land Investment Co.	114 sellers
Union Insurance Society of Canton.	226 sellers
Hongkong & Kowloon Wharfs.	198 buyers
Hongkong & Whampoa Dock Co.	150 sellers
Green Island Cement Co. (old).	21¼ buyers
Green Island Cement Co. (new).	6.30 buyers
Hongkong & Shanghai Hotels (old).	17¼ buyers
Hongkong & Shanghai Hotels (new)	17 buyers
China Sugar Refinery Co.	286 buyers
Hongkong Fire Insurance Co.	575 buyers
Hongkong Tramway Co.	43¾ buyers

Crop Conditions In America Reported Lowest In Years

Department Forecasts Decline Of 509,000,000 Bushels Of Wheat From April

Washington, June 9.—Crop forecasts made public today show a serious condition, according to a statement by the Department of Agriculture.

"The crop forecasts show that in the country as a whole the general conditions of crops now growing is lower than any June 1 during the last dozen years for which figures are available," says a statement by the department accompanying the forecast.

"No forecasts have yet been made for corn or for some other important crops as a whole are still being planted, and it is too early to draw definite conclusions regarding crops as a whole, but in certain states the situation is serious.

"In the Pacific coast and northern Rock Mountain states the crop outlook is particularly unfavorable, but even in the west, north, central states prospects for growing crops are 4 percent lower than any June 1 for a dozen or more years.

"In most of the Atlantic coast states from Virginia north, present prospects are close to the usual average, but the same is true of only about half a dozen other states. With the exception of some fruits, none of the crops for which forecasts have been made, show as good a condition as usual on June 1."

The forecast of the production of winter wheat is 509,000,000 bushels. This is 44,000,000 bushels, o. 8 per cent below the forecast of last month.

As a result of the unfavorable weather for spring grain in practically all parts of the country, the condition of spring wheat on June 1 was 82.3. This is 5 percent lower than any June condition during the last 30 years, for which comparable figures are available. The condition of oats is also the lowest on record for this month, except for the year 1907. The condition of barley is the lowest for this month, except for the year 1898.

New York Becoming World Money Center

U.S. Treasury Officals Believe Gotham Is Replacing London

Washington, June 19.—New York is gradually stepping to London's postion as the money capital of the world in the opinion of high Treasury officials, who declared today that the low interest rates in the United States, backed by the largest stock of gold ever assembled in one country, were attracting great borrowers from all corners of the world.

The United States held about $4,400,000,000 in gold June 1, and Treasury forecasts are for an importation of about $400,000,000 more during 1923. These figures are based on imports from May 1923, to last May, which slightly exceeded that amount.

The Treasury, therefore, seeks a continuation of the low money rates, which, with other conditions remaining the same, can mean only that foreign borrowers are going to seek out the great financial houses of the United States through which to market their securities and obtain funds for carrying on industrial enterprises.

Recent reduction of Federal Reserve Bank rediscount rates has had its effect on the general market, in the opinion of officials, but the principal reason given for those reductions is that the Reserve banks desire to keep their rediscount rates in line with open market quotations.

The Treasury feels that continued increase of the gold stocks may not after all be entirely in this country's favor. A steady flow of gold to the United States must be offset in some manner, it was explained, by those countries from which it comes, chiefly through the transfer of goods. In the past year imports of merchandise have been pressing in increasing volume at the Custom House doors: those have been paying the tribute levied by the tariff, turning money into the Treasury at a rate in excess of $1,250,000 a day.

NEW LOCOMOTIVE IN U.S.A. PROVES GREAT SUCCESS

Generates Its Own Electicr Power With 600 H.P. Oil Engine

New York, June 15.—The first practical test of a self-contained electric locomotive using oil as fuel was made yesterday by the New York Central Railroad in its freight yards on Eleventh Avenue. The locomotive, the first one of its kind made in America, was built jointly by the General Electric Company and the Ingersoll-Rand Co.

The locomotive is, in effect, a complete power house on wheels. It is independent of a third rail or any outside electric connections and was designed especially for switching service. In appearance like an electric locomotive in the outside, the inside of the new vehicle looks like a miniature power plant, containing an oil engine, power generator and fuel tanks.

In preliminary tests conducted by the Ingerspll-Rand Company at Philipsburg, N. J., and in ordinary switching service, the new locomotive consumed between 12 and 15 cents of fuel an hour, approximately one-third the cost of fuel used by the ordinary steam locomotive in similar service.

James McCue, for 32 years an employe of the New York Central and driver of a steam locomotive since 1905, learned to operate the new type of locomotive after ten minutes' instruction. "It's simplest locomotive in the world to operate," he said. "Cleaner and much better in every respect. Just what we have needed for such yards as this."

MAKES A QUICK START

What pleased the engineer most was that the moment he opened the throttle he had the full power of the plant at his command. There were no slow, preliminary starts like those in getting an ordinary locomotive under way.

The oil burning locomotive is practically a one-man affair. A fireman is required under the rules of the Interstate Commerce Commission but his sole duty apparently is to ring the bell. If an automatic bell is attached to the engine the fireman's duty will be nil.

In the absence of smoke and in the fact that it is necessary to operate the engine only when the locomotive is in use the new type of locomotive is much the same as an automobile.

The new engine weighs about sixty tons. Its power plant consists of a 300 horsepower Ingersoll-Rand oil engine directly connected to a 200 kilowatt G-E generator. The generator supplies electric current operating four fifty horse power motors, one of which is geared to each of the four axles. Fuel can be carried for forty-eight hours of continuous switching service. On the roof is mounted a muffler for reducing the noise.

All parts of the cylinders, cylinder heads and combustion chambers are water cooled by means of a thermostatically controlled water supply. The water from these water jackets passes to a radiator located on the roof, and a thermostat maintains an even temperature regardless of weather conditions.

Engineers said that an unusual feature of the design was the use of a direct current generator supplying current of the motors without intervening accelerating resistance. This is accomplished by using a differential series field on the exciter which automatically reduces the generator voltage with the increase in the amount of current drawn by the motor, so that the speed of the locomotive automatically increases as the load is reduced, corresponding to the rise in impressed voltage. This control is said to completely eliminate the possibility of overloading the generator or motors or of stalling the engine.

"The General Electric Company has had very extensive experience during the last fifteen years in the construction of self-propelled motor cars and locomotives using gasoline as fuel," said a representative of the company yesterday. "About ninety equipments have been put into service during this period and most of them are still operating.

FUEL ECONOMY ASSURED

"In order to take advantage of a low priced fuel in the internal combustion engine an arrangement was made with the Ingersoll-Rand Company to build an engine designed for the use of fuel oil and having the characteristic of speed and weight that would be suitable for its use in a locomotive. The complete unit is, therefore, a combination of pieces of apparatus all of which are well tried and whose combination promises to result in a degree of fuel economy which is far in advance of anything that can be attained by the steam locomotive.

"The Ingersoll-Rand unit is a six-cylinder engine designed to burn fuel oil and having the features of the well-known Price system of direct fuel injection. This system avoids the use of high pressure injection and also effects a reduction in weight and improvement in mechanical efficiency and increased simplicity and reliability. The fuel is injected into the various cylinders through a distributor by means of a single acting plunger type pump. The lubricating system is of the continuous filtration type by means of which the oil is returned from a crankcast through an oil filter before being returned to the system again."

Cassel Urges Return To Gold As Standard

Would Have Great Britain And U. S. Cooperate To Restore It

London, June 11.—In a paper read tonight before the Institute of Bankers, Professor Gustaf Cassel made a plea for a return to the gold standard.

Professor Cassel said there was at present a superabundance of gold which particularly made itself felt in the United States. The surplus of gold in America was, however, not at all so overwhelmingly large as some people imagined, and it did not make it impossible for America to resist fresh inflation.

On the other side, Great Britain had to face for the future a growing scarcity of gold. It might be wise to spare something of the present abundance to meet this coming scarcity. That, said Professor Cassel, was just what the United States was doing when letting its gold reserves grow without thereby being driven to a corresponding enhancement of prices.

The present stability of the dollar, he argued, made a return to the gold standard quite possible. He added that such return would involve no serious risk but would be of great benefit to the world's trade and therefore particularly for England. He urged the desirability of co-operation between England and America for the purpose of restoring the gold standard at the earliest possible date and making it as stable and reliable as possible.

Stock Exchange

Transactions

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS

Shanghai, July 16, 1924

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Haichow District Water Routes Now Good Despite Drought

(*From Our Own Correspondent*)

Haichow, July 12.—In spite of the long session of dry weather in the Haichow district, the water route to Tsingkiangpu via Salt Canal is very much better than ordinarily. Usually the water is so shallow that the launches cannot run except with great difficulty. At the present time there is a regular schedule of one launch every two days.

Your correspondent, on the way to Kuling with his family, made a very quick trip to Tsingkaingpu, only taking one day and a night. Ordinarily, to make the trip in three days is counted a very good trip. It will be interesting to see what influence the railroad will have on travel and shipping on the Salt Canal.

Up to the present time, large quantities of salt from the Haichow district have been sent to the interior via Salt Canal and Grand Canal. It remains to be seen whether the new railroad will supplant the old waterway. From the dry weather at Haichow to the almost daily rains on Kuling is a considerable change. There may be floods at Haichow by this time, however. In many respects, China is indeed a land of extremes.

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Mercantile Bk. A-B	£23¼ B.
Mercantile Bank C.	£12¼ B.
P. & O. Banking	£13⅛ B.
Bank of East Asia	H.$95 B.
Marine Insurance	
Canton	H.$675
North China	Tls. 133
Union of Canton	H.$235 Sa.
Yangtsze	H.$28¾ B
Far Eastern Ins.	Tls. 22
Fire Insurance	
China Fire	H.$150 B.
Hongkong Fire	H.$600 Sa.
Shipping	
Indo-China Def.	H.$110 B.
Indo-China Perf.	H.$38 B.
"Shell"	81/3 x.d.
S'hai Tug ord.	Tls. 85 B.
S'hai Tug Pref.	Tls. 51¼
H.C.&M.S.B.Co. Ld.	H.$37¾
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Union Waterboat	H.$16½S.
Mining	
Kaiping	Tls. 21 B.
Oriental Cons.	12/6 x.d.
Raub	H.$5 S.
Docks	
Hdngkong Dock	H.$151
Shanghai Dock	Tls. 104 S.
New Eng. Works	Tls. 6½ B.
" Pref.	Tls. 5.40 S.
Wharves	Tls. 197½ B.
Shanghai Wharf.	H.$199 B.
Hongkong Wharf.	Tls. 50
China Realty ord.	Tls. 50
China Realtyord.	Tls. 119 B
China Realty Pref.	Tls. 119 B
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Laou-kung-mow	Tls. 8
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Shanghai, July 16, 1924

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Prices quoted are in Mexican dollar cents at Hongkew Market compiled on July 15, 1924.

Butcher's Meat		
Beef	per lb.	16-30
Mutton	"	18-30
Pork	"	30-40
Veal	"	24-36
Fish		
Bream	per lb.	45-50
Cod	"	16-20
Mandarin	per lb.	50-60
Mackerel	"	15-20
Pomfret	"	20-25
Salmon	"	none
Samli	"	30-35
Soles	"	40-50
Whitebait	"	30-35
Game Poultry and Eggs		
Deer	each	none
Eggs	per doz.	20-25
Fowl	per lb.	30-35
Hare	each	none
Partridge	"	none
Pheasant	"	none
Geese	"	90-$1.20
Plover	"	none
Pigeons	"	18-20
Quail	"	none
Snipe	"	18-20
Teal	"	none
Turkey	per lb.	55-60
Woodcock	"	none
Wild Duck	"	none
Duck	each	80-$1.00
Wild Pigeon	"	none
Fruit		
Apricots	per lb.	10-15
Apples	"	10-15
Bananas	"	7-8
Chestnuts	"	none
Cherries	per lb.	none
Figs	per doz.	none
Grapes	per lb.	none
Cocoanuts	each	18-20
Grape fruit	each	20-25
Lichees	per lb.	20-25
Lemons	each	8-10
Oranges	per doz.	$1.00-$1.20
Mangoes	each	none
Peaches	per lb.	10-14
Melons	each	30-40
Mangosteens	ped doz.	none
Persimmons	pel lb.	none
Pears	"	10-12
Peeboes	"	12-15
Plums	"	10-14
Pumeloes	each	20-25
Pineapples	"	10-12
Strawberries	per lb.	none
Walnuts	"	15-18
Vegetables		
Artichokes	each	none
Asparagus	per doz.	30-40
Bamboo shoots	per lb.	none
Beetroot	per bunch	2-3
Broad Beans	per lb.	none
Cabbages	each	5-8
Celery	per bunch	none
Cucumber	"	4-5
Carrots	"	4-5
Cauliflower	each	none
Egg Plant	per lb.	5-8
French Beans	"	8-10
Green Corn	each	2-3
Peas	per lb.	none
Mushrooms	per lb.	none
Leeks	per bunch	4-5
Parsnips	"	4-5
Potatoes	per picul	$1.60-$1.80
Onions	per lb.	2-3
Spinach	"	3-4
Tomatoes	"	4-5
Radishes	per bunch	1-2
Turnips	per bunch	2-3
Grain and Flour		
Flour American	50 lbs.	$4.00
Flour Shanghai	"	$2.60
Bran	per 114 lbs.	$2.60
Barley	"	$3.60
Rice	per 200 lbs.	$12.00
Milk		
Chinese dairies	per bottle	$0.20
Foreign dairies	"	$0.25
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Cloudy and rather fine weather. Freshening Ely. winds over our coasts and over the Yellow Sea. Rough weather and cyclonic circulation around the Loochoos and the Meacotimas because of the two cyclonic centers threatening the Eastern Sea. Low area with probably a cyclonic center to the East of the Pratas.

What Is The China Consortium Going To Do?

ON Monday of this week, there was supposed to have been held in London a meeting of the International Banking Consortium organised several years ago for the purpose of extending financial assistance to China. According to *Reuters*, Mr. Thomas Lamont, of Morgan and Company, New York, was reported as being at the meeting and among the matters the meeting was supposed to consider was "recent attempts of the Chinese Government to secure loans from other sources."

This meeting of the Consortium is of very great interest in China for the important reason that the agreement which was signed by representatives of groups of bankers in America, Great Britain, France and Japan on October 15, 1920, has now been in operation for a period of four years, and, according to the last paragraph.

"This agreement shall remain in force for the period of five years from the date hereof provided nevertheless that a majority of the parties hereto may by twelve months' previous notice in writing addressed to the other parties hereto terminate this agreement at any time.

A reading of this paragraph would naturally prompt one to conclude that among the matters to be considered at this meeting of the Consortium, would be the matter of extending the life of the organisation itself. In other words. Mr. Lamont and Sir Charles Addis and the other representatives of financial "groups" in Japan and France will, without much question, decide at this meeting the important matter of whether the Consortium is to continue in business or whether the Consortium is to disband and the matter of lending money to China be thrown open to the bankers of the world with no restrictions.

In view of the foregoing possibilities, it is of interest to review a statement regarding the policies of the Consortium which was issued at Paris on May 28, 1923, following a meeting of representatives of the various groups held in that city during May of last year:

1.—The Council of the China Consortium considers that a general statement of the policy of the Consortium may be of interest to the public.

2.—The policy of the Consortium, namely the substitution of international co-operation for international competition in the economic and financial affairs of China, has been definitely affirmed and endorsed in a larger sense by China and the Powers in the Treaty signed at Washington on February 6, 1922.

3.—The Treaty (Nine-Power Treaty) is, in effect, an undertaking by the Powers to respect the sovereign rights of China, to preserve her territorial integrity and to provide her with a free and unembarrassed opportunity to develop for herself an effective and stable Government.

4.—The Consortium is an appropriate instrument for giving effect to this policy. It is not designed as a permanent organisation but rather as a temporary bridge whereby China may be assisted to pass in comparative safety through the difficult period of transition from an unsettled to a settled state of government.

5.—Benefits already accomplished justify the belief that the Consortium is on sound lines and may reasonably be expected to fulfil its purpose with due regard to natural susceptibilities of Chinese and security of foreign investors in China.

6.—Reports that the purpose of the Consortium is to obtain undue profits reaped from loans forced on China are untrue. The Consortium has consistently refrained from lending and the principal success achieved to date has been in encouraging native savings before recourse to foreign loans. The Consortium has helped to stimulate sane and independent public opinion in China, and, by stopping the menace of financial penetration arising from indiscriminate foreign borrowing, has helped to conserve the integrity of China.

7.—The Consortium believes that it forms a barrier between China and the policy of "spheres of influence" which prevailed in the last decade of the nineteenth century, which policy, if continued, might have led to the disintegration of China.

8.—China presents today the largest undeveloped field for commercial expansion. If the restraint exercised by cooperative action of the Consortium be now removed, the result would be a revival of international competition, which might lead to international intervention by foreign Governments to protect vested interests, with consequences disastrous to China.

9.—The aim of the Consortium is to assist China to build up her credit to a point where she can, like other nations, borrow for her requirements on the strength of her national credit without recourse to specific security or supervision of expenditure.

10.—The settled policy of the Consortium is to refrain from interference in the internal political affairs of China. The present unsettled political status of China precludes any immediate hope of an administrative loan, but the Consortium stands prepared for action in anticipation of the time when China shall have again attained such a degree of political peace and security as to afford a reasonable prospect of stable government.

11.—Industrial loans, including railway loans, are in a different catagory from administrative loans, and there is no reason, if adequate security can be obtained, why further development of railway communication should wait upon solution of the administrative problem. Railways themselves are a potent means of political unification.

12.—An essential part of any scheme for the financial reorganisation of China is the consolidation of her floating debt, and a scheme for such consolidation is now under consideration.

13.—The Consortium has no desire or inclination to obtain control of China's finances or railways.

14.—Reorganisation of China's finances must come from China herself, and the purpose of the Consortium is limited to an endeavor to assist the Chinese, if requested to do so, in reestablishing economic and financial equilibrium.

15.—It is futile to ask foreign investors, to whom the Consortium stands in the relation of a quasi-trustee, to subscribe to Chinese loans, until satisfied that the proceeds will be properly expended and the capital returned at maturity. This necessitates some measure of supervision but no more control than the minimum actually required to provide an adequate degree of security without which it is impossible to issue a foreign loan.

16.—The policy of Consortium is to assist in building up the general credit of China on such secure foundations that all outside intervention may be gradually eliminated and entire control of loan service and expenditure may finally pass into the hands of China herself.

17.—The Consortium has never considered the possibilities of the use of the Land Tax as security for a supplementary administrative loan should other revenues prove insufficient for the purpose. The Land Tax has never been considered in any of the Consortium discussions.

The Boxer Cult Redivivus

A Correspondent in Showchow, Anhwei, informs us that things seem exciting just now. Liuanchow is reported to be in the hands of the Boxers, whose object is to drive out Governor Ma. They claim that bullets do not harm them and the soldiers confirm this statement. Those who know their China will recall that in the closing days of May, 1900, the foreign community of the Legation Quarter in Peking was then beginning to call the Chinese malcontents Boxers—grudgingly and sometimes harking back and giving them their full name, "Society of Harmonious Fists," or the "Righteous Harmony Fist Society;" but still a beginning was made, and they became Boxers by the inevitable process of shortening which distinguishes speech. Looking backward to those days, it is noteworthy that at first the Boxers were only laughed at and were not taken quite seriously. They had killed native Christians. it was true, and it had been proved conclusively that it was they who murdered Brooks, the English missionary in Shantung. But Englishmen were cheap, since there was a glut in the home market, and their Government merely got angry with them when they got into trouble and were killed. So many were always getting killed in China. So the Boxers, with half the Governments of Europe, led by England, seeking to minimise their importance—in fact, trying to stifle the movement by ignoring it or lavishing on it their supreme contempt—moved from their particular habitat, which was Shangtung, into the metropolitan province of Chihli—always massacring, always advancing and driving in bodies of native Christians before them on their march. Nobody cared very much, however, except a vicar apostolic, who urgently requested forty or fifty marines or sailors "to protect our persons and our chattels." Foolish bishop he was, was he not, when Christians had been expressly born to be massacred? Did he not know his history? And while the foreign diplomats in Peking were lulling themselves into a false sense of security, just as they are probably doing at the present time, the Boxer banners were unfurled; and lo and behold, as they floated in the breeze, the four dread characters *"Pao Ch'ing Mien Yang,"* were read on blood-red bunting—"Death and destruction to the foreigner and all his works and loyal support to the great Ching Dynasty."

The invulnerability of the Boxer was officially and indisputably tested by the Manchus, according to the gossip of that day. Proceeding to the Boxer camp at Chochou, duly authorised officers of the Crown saw recruits—who performed all the dread rites, and were initiated—stand fearlessly in front of a full-fledged Boxer; saw that Boxer load up his blunderbuss with powder, ramming down a wad on top; witnessed a handful of iron buckshot added, but with no wad to hold the charge in place; noticed that the master Boxer gesticulated with his lethal weapon the better to impress his audience before he fired, but did not notice that the iron buckshot tripped merrily out of the rusty barrel since no wad held it in place; and finally, when the fire-piece belched forth flames and ear-breaking noise at a distance of a man's body from the recruit's person, they saw, and with them thousands of others, that no harm came. It was astounding, miraculous, but it was true; thenceforth, the Boxer was officially invulnerable and had to remain so as long as the ground was parched.

We do not know whether the "Big Sword" tufei (bandits) in Anhwei are resorting to the same device to prove their invulnerability as did the Boxers in 1900, but it is clear that a dangerous game is being played and that Peking is more or less powerless either to control or crush them. The latest foreign reports from Anhwei state that the "Big Sword" gentry are still active. The Government troops on July 10 were reported to be on the way to Luanchow and were expected to reach there within a couple of days. The Chamber of Commerce at that place offered the gang $20,000 to leave, but the tufei ridiculed the idea of being bought with that diminutive sum, which, incidentally, reveals the tragi-comic condition to which China has been reduced. But for the seriousness of the situation, it would furnish admirable material for a comic opera such as would have delighted the hearts of Gilbert and Sullivan. Imagine the spectacle of a British or American Chamber of Commerce offering a purse of $20,000 to a gang of highway robbers to persuade them to stay away from a town, and the gentlemen of the road declining to comply with the request by reason of the inducement not being sufficiently attractive! To return, however, to the Anhwei freebooting gentry, up to the present, the gang apparently has not interfered with private residences, but are reported to be confining their activities to yamens and other official quarters. They secured a large supply of arms and ammunition and military stores at Luanchow. The leaders announce that they have risen against the oppression of officials and the generally unsatisfactory conditions imposed upon the people by the local government. Their object, they claim, is to fight the despotism of the militarists.

That erudite Chinese scholar who is master of several European languages as well as his own, Mr. Ku Hung-ming, expressed some time ago in the columns of a Peking newspaper the somewhat extraordinary sentiment that the sympathy of foreigners should be on the side of the bandits. The paper in which such a thought was expressed now declares in all seriousness that there is much force in Mr. Ku Hung-ming's dictum. The great masses everywhere, it is pointed out, are inarticulate and cannot make their feelings understood. Consequently they resort to forcible measures, giving vent to their dissatisfaction by acts of violence. It has been thus in every country of the world, and China is no exception. But apparently the "Big Sword" tufei in Anhwei have now found a spokesman who knows how to make their thoughts and intentions plain to the outside world. These bandits, who recently occupied Luanchow, like the adherents of Robin Hood in England, declare that they are not waging war on the people of the country, who are themselves suffering, but upon the Government, the corrupt officials and the despotic militarists. The argument is plausible enough and is probably being used as a cover for the bandits' own misdeeds. It is a very dangerous game which these self-styled patriots are playing with the destiny of their country. Of course, they are only trying to save their own hides, but in so doing, they are most liable to involve the country in very grave troubles. And as a preventive, their remedy is not even effective, because, although they may be able to create a temporary diversion, the wrath of the people ultimately will turn against them and exterminate them, as they richly deserve. Patriotism, as the immortal Johnson declared, is the last refuge of a scoundrel.

Sayings Of The Great

A Writer in the *Peking and Tientsin Times* waxes sarcastic: "I was one of the many who read yesterday with a thrill that the Governor General of Hongkong said to Squadron Leader Maclaren when the latter arrived at Hongkong, 'I am very glad to see you Maclaren.'

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"But what did Maclaren say in answer? Possibly it was a fine day at Hongkong, but did he inform the Governor of that fact? Alas, we shall never know. *Reuter's* failed miserably to satisfy the eager curiosity of the great intelligent reading public. The words which fell from the lips of the airman, and surely they must have been a pearl of wisdom though not perhaps forming so exquisite and finely worded a phrase as the Governor General's, are lost forever.

"I regret to record that my faith in the great news agency (representatives in all parts of the world) has been sadly shattered."

Our Literary Column

EXCERPTS FROM GREAT WRITERS

By Mathy

ONE WORD

Almost every seat in the street car was taken. Men sat with their noses glued to the newspaper. Women looked boredly out of the window at the cold rain dripping down into the muddy street.

The morning was dull. The car moved irritatingly slow. Drabness and grayness everywhere. Everybody looked to be in an excellent state of preparedness to bite everybody else upon the last provocation.

The car stopped at a corner. A man clambered on with difficulty. He was partly drunk. He had hard work unbottoning his overcoat and fetching a nickel from his trousers pocket.

The conductor snapped at him to hurry up. The man retorted angrily. They had some unpleasant words, not all of them printable.

The man lurched forward to go through the door. He was negotiating his entrance into the car with some pains when someone said one word to him.

It was a little boy, about six years of age. He was nicely bundled up in an overcoat and wore a red tam-o'-shanter cap.

His little plump legs were sturdily planted apart as he stood in the center of the aisle. His face was shining, his eyes sparkled, his ruddy cheeks like ripe red apples. He looked up at the man and said:

"Hello!"

But what he put into that one word! How much good-fellowship, and suppressed fun, and rollicking play, and comradeship, and clear, beautiful, human feeling.

The man stopped, looked down at the small mite before him, and quickly a change passed over his features. The brute fled, a spirit came. His ugliness dropped from him as a garment. His eyes softened. He smiled. He leaned back against the door jamb and said, and his voice was full of the tenderest fatherhood:

"Hello yourself, you God-blessed, beautiful angel child!"

The child laughed. And the conductor laughed. Men looked up and smiled. Every woman awoke to vivid interest and wanted to hug the child.

The car started. The man found a seat. The little boy went back and stood by his mother.

The car rolled on. But its load of humanity was transformed. Something divine had swept every soul in it clean of its doldrums. Little songs started up in hearts, like crocuses pierce the snow in early spring. Gentle thoughts hovered about that company as swallows fly about eaves at sunset.

Everybody had been converted and became as a little child and saw the kingdom.

All day long that one word echoed in a thousand avenues, and sounded on and on like a silver bell, and even its most distant waves brought peace on earth and good-will to men.

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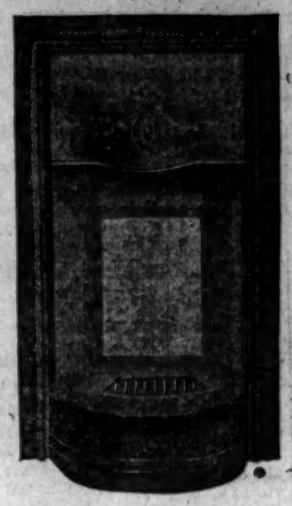

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BY GARRETT P. SERVISS

"I have just read that one astronomer says it's useless to look for signals from Mars, because he is sure she is not inhabited. I believe it is useless to look for signals from Mars; but I believe she is inhabited, though. I think a planet so large as Mars wasn't put there for us to look at alone. You can bet the Almighty put her there, and put life on her, certain.—J. W. R., Windsor, Ontario."

It is a curious inquiry, that of the origin of the widespread belief in the existence of life among the planets and stars. If you inquire among your acquaintances, I think you will find that the great majority more or less positively entertain this belief, although they may never have set it distinctly before their minds. It seems to be an instinctive faith, often showing itself most strong in those who have the least special knowledge bearing upon the subject.

As the investigations of astronomers have pushed the boundaries of the known universe farther and farther away, revealing range after range of more and and more distant suns, and proving more and more conclusively that our sun and its planetary system ranks among the least instead of among the greatest, the Popular mind has shown itself more ready than the minds of the majority of astronomers to assume that planets bearing life in its highest forms exist wherever stars shine.

This is what Giordano Bruno taught in the sixteenth century, until his teaching ended at the stake in Rome in February, 1600. It was not orthodox then to believe that there was more than one world on which the Almighty lavished his care. Today the idea of brotherhood has widened until it may be said that now probably nobody hears with envious misgivings the doctrine that God has other objects of solicitude besides the inhabitants of this puny earth.

This broadening of the mental and moral outlook may largely account for the disposition to believe in the existence of intelligent life on the other planets of our solar system as well as generally throughout the universe. As our friend in Windsor says, nobody nowadays thinks that Mars, and the stars, were made only to be gazed at by man, though to some minds this reasoning becomes conclusive only when they are confronted by the fact that millions of the most magnificent of the celestial orbs were totally unknown to man until he had invented the telescope.

The progressive discovery of new inhabited lands and continents on our terraqueous globe may also have had some effect in spreading the idea that wherever the physical requisites of life appear to exist, life itself may confidently be looked for.

An isolated savage tribe might well believe, without reflecting on the subject at all, that its members were the only human creatures in the world. But, when such a tribe found itself unexpectedly invaded from beyond its borders by similar men, or when some of its wandering members came upon another tribe in its distant haunts, a very different conception would be formed, and a single occurrence of that kind would be sufficient to reverse the belief, so that henceforth wherever they went they would constantly be on the lookout for beings like themselves.

The discovery of America showed the inhabitants of the eastern continents that there was apparently a principle of nature which spread intelligent life around all sides of this planet; and, that being so, why should not similar life exist on similar-looking planets basking like the earth in the sunlight?

As I said, astronomers have not been as quick as other men in assuming that every new planet discovered must be the abode of life. They have been more critical in judgment on that point simply because of ampler knowledge of the physical conditions of the various planets, as well as of the physical limitations of life in the only forms in which it is known to us. This knowledge seems to exclude some of the planets from present consideration as bearers of life. Whether Mars should be one of the excluded is an open question which observation of its opposition next August may help to settle.

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DRESS

By Mary Marshall

Linen Assumes Importance in the Choice of Material for New Underwear

No change in the fashions of outside apparel ever comes without as great a change in what the French call "yes dessous." And it may be that so long as we are perfectly contented with the sort of underthings that we wear and quite unwilling to adopt any other sort, it will go hard with the fashion makers to persuade women to make any radical change in their mode of dress. If we do eventually adopt the bouffant skirt, we shall have to take on ruffled underskirts—frilled skirts, possibly starched skirts. If we decide at last to go back to frocks that define the waistline we shall have to wear slips or petticoats that fit snugly just below our ribs. Long dress skirts might mean long underskirts.

But women seem to be wedded to underclothes just as they are. One of the most amazingly popular garments of the generation is the under slip, that is worn now by almost every woman, for almost every occasion.

In the mean time sufficient variety can be effected by the variety in fabric and trimming. Quite recently there has been a distinct renewal of interest in linen as a fabric for under things. In the trousseaux of several June brides there were many of these linen "sets." They consist of nightgown, step-ins and slips—sometimes of white linen trimmed with cream thread lace, but oftener of some delicate tint—green, rose, orchid, yellow or blue.

That fact that linen has dropped in price and improved much in quality since the war brings it within the reach of many who regarded it as out of their reach a few years ago.

Linen lingerie set, consisting of night gown, chemise and step-ins.

WISE AND OTHERWISE

BY MARY MARSHALL

SOMETHING NEW

In some of the new French frocks there is a little piece of material attached to the center of each shoulder strap. This piece of material about the size of a piece of lingerie ribbon slightly over an inch wide is provided with a snapper that snaps into place near where the material is attached to the shoulder. After the dress is put on this little fold of material is passed around the various shoulder straps of one's under things and then snapped into place, thus preventing shoulder straps from slipping into sight.

DO YOU KNOW THE DIFFERENCE—

Between cocoa and chocolate?

Chocolate is really derived from two words signifying cocoa and water and chocolate is the word applied usually to the paste formed by grinding the cocoa kernels and making them into a paste with water, sugar and other substances.

Strictly speaking the coco or cocoa is the coconut tree, and it is only through long confusion that the chocolate tree is given this name. The seeds of this tree when roasted and husked are called cocoa-nibs and it is not until they have been ground and mixed with various substances that they become chocolate. When the nibs are ground without such treatment they become cocoa.

BOBBIE AND HIS PA

BY WM. F. KIRK

Our teecher was telling us yesterday about Mister Julius Seezer, she sed he was one of the gratest of the anshunt Generils. She sed he left a nain beehind him wich will nevver die.

Yes, sed Pa when I tonld him last nite what our teecher sed. Yes, sed Pa, old Jule was a Bare cat, O. K. When he took the ennemy thay knowed they was took, sed Pa.

He had a noabel wife, too, sed Ma. The wife of Seezer was above suspishun, sed Ma. We lerned that in skool.

Was he a happy old gent? I sed, like what you are.

Bobbie, sed Pa. I nevver want to heer you reefer to me as a old gent aggenn, sed Pa. I am not a old gent. At what are you laffing at? sed Pa to Ma.

Oh, nothing, sed Ma, go on with yure remarks about Jule, sed Ma.

No, Bobbie sed Pa. Julius Seezer was not a happy old gent, beekaus he had crushed other nashuns beneeth his iron heel, sed Pa. He lived by the sword, sed Pa, & so it caim to pass that he died by the sword, sed Pa. Rite at the peek of his power, Bobbie, sed Pa, he was Sassynated.

What do you meen, Sassy-nated? I sed.

Killed, Bobbie, sed Pa, killed by sum of the men wich he thot was his best friends, sed Pa. It is often thus in this here life, Bobbie, sed Pa. We succeed, sed Pa, & then sumbody gits jellus & the first thing we know thare is a lot of knockers around us, sed Pa, & we go down & out, maybe not sassynated but down & out nevver-the-less & not-with-standing, Bobbie, sed Pa. This is a crule old wurld in sum ways, sed Pa.

The wurld is a lot better than what it was in the days of Julius Seezer, sed Ma.

In sum way, in sum ways, sed Pa, but thare is about as much Envy & Jellusy in this wurld today as thare evver was, sed Pa. Mister Brutus was one of the men wich helped to Sassy-nate Mister Seezer, Bobbie, sed Pa. He had a scrap with Seezer about wich one of them ate the most water mellons one time wen thay had been kids, sed Pa. He sed he et a cuppel of mellons & that Brutus only et one, & then Brutus stabbed him, sed Pa.

How silly, sed Ma, that wasent it at all.

It certingly was, sed Pa. Wasent his last words Et two, Brutus, sed Pa.

Ma laffed.

You have got that all mixed up, sed Ma. He sed Et two, Brutus, but that meens in Latin And you, Brutus? sed Ma.

I guess I am a kind of Dum Bell around this palace, sed Pa. I will say no moar, sed Pa. I will let you tell Bobbie about Mister Seezer, the Roman geezer, sed Pa. & Pa began to reed the baseball news to hisself.

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HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. LOONGWO, 3,925 Tons, Captain Holmwood, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Friday, July 18, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passenger Departments.

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HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. KUTWO, 2,664 Tons, Captain Christis, will sail for the above mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Monday, July 21, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone: Central 241. Extensions for Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. LUENHO, 2,868 Tons, Captain Woodget, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Tuesday, July 22, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions for Freight and Passenger Departments.

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HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. KUNGWO, 4,635 Tons, Captain Gibb, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Friday, July 25, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions for Freight and Passenger Departments.

For Southern Ports

HONGKONG & CANTON.—The Str. TAISHUN, Capt. Jansen, will leave on Thursday morning, July 17. For Freght or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

FOOCHOW.—The s.s. NINGSHIN, 2,897 Tons, Captain O. Torgersen, will sail for the above mentioned ports from Ning-Shao Wharf on Thursday, July 17, at about 8 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to the Office of The San Peh S. N. Co., Ltd., No. 2 Szechuen Road. Telephones: Freight C. 1520, Passage C. 3283.

For Northern Ports

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CHEFOO & TIENTSIN.—The Str. HSINMING, Capt. Wallace, will leave on Friday morning, July 18. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

The China Press Mail Schedule

TO THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
July 17	8 a.m.	P. Madison	Seattle	
July 18	9 p.m.	P. Cleveland	S. Francisco	
July 21	2 p.m.	E. of Canada	Vancouver	

TO SOUTHERN PORTS INDIA & EUROPE VIA SUEZ

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
July 17	8 a.m.	Porthos	Marseilles	
July 17	9 p.m.	P. Adams	New York	
July 22	2 p.m.	Malwa	London	

TO NORTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Vladivostok	Daily	9 p.m.	via Harbin
Siberia	Daily	3 p.m.	via Chita
Chefoo & Tientsin	Today	12 m.n.	Hsinming
Hongkong & Canton	July 18	10.30 a.m.	Nanchang
Chefoo & Tientsin	July 19	11 a.m.	Luchow
Chefoo & Tientsin	July 18	9.30 a.m.	Tingsang
Newchwang	July 19	10 a.m.	Yunan
Chefoo & Tientsin	July 19	8 a.m.	Shuntien
Chefoo & Tientsin	July 19	11 p.m.	Kingsing
Tsingtau & Dairen	July 20	12.30 p.m.	Saikio M.

TO SOUTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Hongkong & Canton	Today	9 a.m.	Carnarvonshire
Amoy	Today	8 p.m.	Tjimbodas
Swatow	Today	9.30 a.m.	Hunan
Foochow	Today	6 a.m.	Ningshin
Swatow	Today	12 m.n.	Chekiang
Hongkong & Canton	Today	8 a.m.	Porthos
Amoy	Today	9 a.m.	Soochow
Hongkong & Canton	July 18	7 a.m.	Pres. Adams
Foochow	July 18	1 p.m.	Ermland
Hongkong & Canton	July 18	12 m. n.	E. of Russia
Swatow	July 19	11 a.m.	Liangchow
Amoy	July 19	1 p.m.	Suiyang
Foochow	July 20	11.30 a.m.	Kohoku Maru
Swatow	July 20	11 p.m.	Fooshing
Hongkong & Canton	July 22	2 p.m.	Malwa

MISCELLANEOUS PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Russia and Europe	Daily	9 p.m.	via Train
River ports	Daily	9 p.m.	via Train
Manila, Australia & New Zealand via H'kong	July 17	8 p.m.	Porthos
Manila, Australia & New Zealand via H'kong	July 17	9 p.m.	Pres. Adams
Manila, Australia & New Zealand via H'kong	July 18	1 p.m.	Ermland
Japan ports	July 18	8 p.m.	Yamashiro M
Japan ports	July 19	8 p.m.	Nagasaki Maru
Manila, Australia & New Zealand via H'kong	July 19	8.30 a.m.	E. of Russia
Formosa via Keelung	July 20	10 a.m.	Kohoku Maru
Manila, Australia & New Zealand via H'kong	July 22	2 p.m.	Malwa

Weather Reports

July 15.—The high pressures are decreasing over Japan. The two narrow centers to the Northeastern and to the East of Formosa are now making one low area. A typhoon is advancing Northwestern ward to the east of the Loochoos. Another center is nearing the Philippines by 15° of latitude. Summer monsoon along the China coast, north of Fukien. Cyclonic circulation around the Meiacosima. Fine weather in our Valley and in Formosa: overcast skies in the North.

July 16.—Fine and somewhat cool weather. Light easterly breezes. The pressure is slowly decreasing.

-:- Shipping Items -:-

YANGTSZE PORTS

The I.C. s.s. Loongwo from Hankow and other river ports is due to arrive in Shanghai July 17.

The I.C. s.s. Kutwo from Hankow and Ports is expected to arrive in Shanghai on July 19.

The I. C. s.s. Luenho from Yangtse ports is due to arrive in Shanghai Sunday morning July 20.

The C. N. s.s. Ngankin from Hankow and ports is due to arrive in Shanghai at about 11 a.m. on July 17.

The I.C. s.s. Esang from Hankow and other river ports is expected to arrive in Shanghai on July 23.

SOUTHERN PORTS

The I. C. s.s. Fooshing from Canton, Hongkong and Ningpo expected to arrive in Shanghai July 17.

The I. C. s.s. Loksang from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow is expected to arrive in Shanghai on Sunday July 20.

The C.M. s.s. Hainwah which left Hongkong for Shanghai direct on July 14 is expected to arrive here on July 18.

NORTHERN PORTS

The I. C. s.s. Kingsing from Tientsin, Chefoo and Weihaiwei is expected to arrive in Shanghai on July 18.

The I.C. s.s. Taksang from Antung direct is expected to arrive in Shanghai on Saturday July 19.

The I.C. s.s. Kwongsang from Tsingtau direct is expected to arrive in Shanghai on July 21.

The I-C. s.s. Fausang from Tientsin for Shanghai via Chefoo and Weihaiwei is expected to arrive here on July 21.

FOR JAPAN PORTS

The N.Y.K. s.s. Amagi Maru from Moji arrived in Shanghai on July 14. The steamer is due to sail for Kagoshima on July 17.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Shanghai Maru arrived in Shanghai on July 15 from Nagasaki and Kobe. The liner will return to Japan ports on July 17.

The N. Y .K. s.s. Yamashiro from Moji is expected to arrive in Shanghai July 16. The liner will return to Moji on July 19.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Tsukuba Maru is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Moji on July 17 and is scheduled to sail for Yokkaichi on July 20.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Kitano Maru from European ports with mail is expected to arrive in Shanghai July 19. The liner will continue her voyage to Kobe on July 20.

EUROPEAN LINES

The L.T.S.N. s.s. Venezia which sailed from Trieste on June 20 is expected to arrive in Shanghai on August 6.

The L.T.S.N. s.s. Brenta sailed from Trieste for China and Japan ports June 5 afternoon is expected to arrive in Shanghai July 28.

The N.A. and A Line s.s. Yara from Christianna and ports left Immingham enroute for Shanghai and is due here about August 1.

The G.L.E.A. s.s. Glenbeg from European ports is expected to arports on July 19.

The N.D.L. s.s. Schlesien which rive in Shanghai via Suez and left Medan enroute to Shanghai July 13 is expected to arrive here July 26.

The Ben s.s. Benclench from London via ports left on May 23 and is expected to arrive in Shanghai July 29.

The Ben s.s. Benavon which left London on June 6 for Shanghai via Suez and ports is expected to arrive here July 25.

The Ben s.s. Benrinnes left London on June 20 for Shanghai via ports and is due to arrive here August 14.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Adrastus departed from Liverpool June 14 and left Suez enroute for Shanghai June 25. The Liner is expected to arrive here July 20.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Troilus left Liverpool on June 21 and is expected to arrive in Suez enroute to Shanghai about July 30.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Memnon left Liverpool for China ports on June 28 and is expected to arrive in Shanghai August 11.

The P. & O. s.s. Nagpore enroute for Shanghai left Bombay June 24 via Hongkong.

The G. L. E. A. s.s. Glenshiel from London left Suez on June 26 and is expected to arrive in Shanghai about July 28.

The P. & O. s.s. Mirzapore from London is due to sail from Singapore at daylight on July 15.

The Swedish East Asiatic s.s. Japan from Gothenburg left Suez enroute to Shanghai on June 23 and is expected to arrive here on July 21.

The P. and O. s.s. Kalyan left London for Shanghai via Suez and ports on July 4 at 2 p.m.

The P. & O. s.s. Mantau from London left Colombo for Shanghai via Hongkong on July 12.

The M.M. s.s. Angkor which sailed from Marseilles on June 19 is expected to arrive in Shanghai on July 24.

The M.M s.s. Azay Le Rideau which left Marseilles on July 3 is expected to arrive in Shanghai about August 7.

The H.C.T. s.s. Boeton from Antwerp is expected to arrive in Shanghai about August 3.

The G.L.E.A. s.s. Glenogle is expected to depart from London for the Far East on July 26. The steamer will probably arrive in Shanghai sometime in August.

The G. L. E. A. s.s. Pembrokeshire which left London on June 28 is expected to arrive in Shanghai August 11.

AMERICAN LINES

The Dodwell s.s. Kendai Castle is expected to arrive in Shanghai from New York on August 5.

The Dodwell s.s. Wray Castle is expected to arrive in Shanghai about August 31.

The Dollar liner President Garfield sailed from San Francisco for Shanghai on July 5. The liner is due here July 29 and will sail for New York via Suez on August 1.

The Dollar Liner President Polk sailed from New York on her second voyage around the world on June 26 and is due to leave San Francisco on July 19. The liner is expected to arrive in Shanghai August 12.

The Columbia Pacific Shipping Co.'s s.s. Dewey from Portland Ore., U.S.A. is expected to arrive in Shanghai July 20.

The Columbia Pacific Shipping Co.'s s.s. Anna E. Morse from Portland Ore. U.S.A. isexpected to arrive in Shanghai about July 23.

The P.M. s.s. President Cleveland from Manila and Hongkong is expected to reach Shanghai on July 18 and depart for San Francisco on July 19.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Madison from Hongkong and Manila arrived in Shanghai about 1 p.m. on July 16, docked at the China Merchants' Lower Wharf and will sail for Seattle at 10 a.m. on July 17.

The Dollar s. s. President Adams from New York via Panama arrived in Shanghai at 3 p.m. on July 15. The liner docked at the Dollar 18. The liner will dock at the Standard Oil Wharf and sails from there for New York via Suez at 10 a.m. on July 18.

The C.P.O.S. s.s. Empress of Russia from Vancouver via Japan ports is expected to arrive in Shanghai at noon tomorrow, July Wharf then shifted to the 18. The liner will dock at the C.M lower wharf and sail for Hongkong and Manila at 11 a.m. on July 19.

Passengers Arrived

Per Dollar s.s. President Adams from New York via Panama: Miss A. Crawley, Master P. Crawley, Rev. Liu Fang, Mr. Richard Franke, Mr. Armin Kandler, Mr. F. H. Lloyd, Mr. D. Lloyd, Mrs. Oscar Plowalty, and Mr. F. J. Stotts.

Information For Mariners

THURSDAY, JULY 17, 1924

The morning tides are higher than the evening tides, they are about equal after noon and midnight.
Approximate rise, at spring 4¼ h; at neaps, 5 h.
fall, at spring 3¼ h; at neaps, 7½ h.

Time	Range	Time	Range
1h. 03m.	10ft. 4in.	1h. 25m.	8ft. 7in.

High Water at Tungsha Lightship
(The morning tide are higher than the evening tides.)
Approximate rise, 1½ h; approximate fall, 7 h.

A.M.	P.M.
11h. 42m.	11h. 18m.

Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset.

Moon		Sun		Daylight	Dark
Rises	Sets	Rises	Sets		
7:43 p.m.	5:41 a.m.	5h. 7m.	7h. 4m.	4h. 22m.	7h. 49m.

Mean Barometric Pressure. 30.17 in.
April 766.6 mm.

Future Sailings

FOR AMERICA AND CANADA

July 17 10.00	Seattle	†P. Madison	Am. Adl. O. Line
July 19 —	San Francisco	†P. Cleveland	Am. P.M.S.S. C.
July 21 —	Vancouver	E. of Canada	Am. C. P. O. S.
July 23 —	New York	Shidzuoka M.	Jap. N. Y. K.
July 26 —	Portland	A. E. Morse	Am. Lumber Co.
July 28 —	San Francisco	Taiyo Maru	Jap. T. K. K.
July 29 —	Seattle	P. McKinley	Am. Adl. O. Line
Aug. 2 —	Vancouver	E. of Russia	Br. C. P. S.
Aug. 3 —	San Francisco	†P. Pierce	Am. P.M.S.S. C.
Aug. 9 —	New York	Taketoyo Mar	Jap. N.Y.K.
Aug. 10 —	Seattle	P. Jackson	Am. Adl. O. Lin
Aug. 11 —	San froncisco	Tenyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Aug. 16 —	San Francisco	Pres. Taft	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Aug. 19 —	Vancouver	E. of Australia	Am. C. P. O. S.
Aug. 22 —	Seattle	P. Jefferson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Aug 25 —	San Francisco	†Korea Maru	Jap. T. K. K.
Aug. 30 —	San Francisco	P. Wilson	Am. P.M.S.S. C.

FOR EUROPE, INDIA, STRAITS, ETC.

July 17 —	Marseilles	†Porthos	Fr. M. M. Co.
July 17 —	London	Carnarvonshire	Br. G.L.E.A.
July 18 —	Marseilles	†Pres. Adams	Am. Dollar Line
July 20 —	London	Saarbreucken	Ger. Mel Co.
July 22 —	London	†Malwa	Br. P. & O.
July 22 —	Bombay	Morioka Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
July 26 —	London	Hakozaki M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
July 27 —	Liverpool	Telamon	Br. B. & S.
July 30 —	Trieste	Gerama	It. L.T.S.N. Co.
July 31 —	Marseilles	†Amazone	Fr. M. M. Co.
Aug. 1 —	Marseilles	†P. Garfield	Am. Dollar Line
Aug. 2 —	Trieste	Rosandra	It. L.T.S.N. Co.
Aug. 2 —	Naples	Emil Kirdorf	Ger. H. S. Line
Aug. 3 —	London	Glentara	Br. G. L. E. A.
Aug. 5 —	London	Devanha	Br. P. & O.
Aug. 7 —	Rotterdam	†Oldekerk	Dut. H. C. T. Co
Aug. 9 —	London	Hakusan M	Jap. N. Y. K.
Aug. 14 —	Marseilles	Angkor	Fr. M. M. Co.
Aug. 14 —	Liverpool	Ixion	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 15 —	Marseilles	†Pres. Polk	Am. Dollar Co.
Aug. 19 —	London	†Mantau	Br. P. & O.
Aug. 23 —	London	Kitano Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Aug. 28 —	Marseilles	Azay Le Rideau	Fr. M. M. Cie
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Aug. 29 —	Trieste	Scheer	It. L.T.S.N. Co.
Aug. 30 —	Naples	†P. Monroe	Ger. H. S. Line

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July 17 —	Nagasaki	Shanghai Mar	Jap. N.Y.K.
July 19 —	Moji	Yamashiro M.	Jap. N. Y. K.
July 20 —	Nagasaki	Nagasaki M.	Jap. N. Y. K.
July 20 —	Yokkaichi	Tsukuba Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
July 20 —	Kobe	Kitano Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
July 26 —	Moji	Omi Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Aug. 30 —	Kobe	Laconia	It. L.T.S.N. Co.

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July 22 —	Hongkong, Manila	Dewey	Am. Lumber Co.
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July 30 —	Hongkong, Manila	P. Taft	Am. P.M.S.S. C.
Aug. 6 —	Hongkong	Yokohama M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
Aug. 7 —	Hongkong, Manila	P. Jefferson	Am. Adl. O. Lin
Aug. 13 —	Hongkong, Manila	P. Wilson	Am. P.M.S.S. C.
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Aug. 27 —	Hongkong, Manila	P. Lincoln	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.

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July 17 11.00	*Amoy, Canton	Soochow	Br. B. & S.
July 17 11.00	*Hongkong, Canton	Shansi	Br. B. & S.
July 19 1.00	Swatow, Canton	Liangchow	Br. B. & S.
July 20 1.00	Amoy, Canton	Suiyang	Br. B. & S.
July 20 D.L.	Swatow, Canton	Fooshing	Br. J. M. & Co.

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July 17	N. Chefoo, Tientsin	Nanchang	Br. B. & S.
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July 18	N. Newchwang	Yunan	Br. B. & S.
July 18	N. Chefoo, Tientsin	Tingsang	Br J. M. & Co.
July 19	1.00 Tsingtao	Luchow	Br. B. & S.
July 19	10:00 Chefoo and Tientsin	Shuntien	Br. B. & S.
July 20	D.L. Chefoo, Tientsin	Kingsing	Br. J.M. & Co.

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July 18	M.N. Hankow	Loongwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
July 19	M.N. Hankow	Woosung	Br. B. & S.
July 21	D.L. Pukow	Taksang	Br. J. M. & Co
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Section	Date	Name	Flag and Rating
Mc. K. W.	Apr. 17	Cricket	Br. Gun-boat
F.N.B.	May 30	Jules Ferry	Fr. Cruiser
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1 C	June 4	Elcano	Am. Gun-boat
E.E.W.	June 17	Hoza	Jap. Gun-boat
U S N B	June 26	Asheville	Am. Gun-boat
1 C	July 2	Libia	It. Cruiser
B.N.B	July 7	Finch	Am. Tpd. Boat.
O.G.W.		Teal	Br. Gun-boat
U.S.N.B.	July 8	Subs 15, 16	Am. Subs.
U.S.N.B.	July 8	Subs 4, 7, 17	Am. Subs.
B.N.B.	July 7	Subs 8, 9, 14	Am. Subs.
1 C	July 11	Isabel	Am. Yacht
J N B	July 12	Jone	Jap. Cruiser
F N B	July 10	Rainbow	Am. Transport

Moulton Says Phone-Photos Will Embarrass Some Person

BY ROY K. MOULTON

It sometimes seems as though science is marching a little too rapidly for our convenience in some respects. No sooner do we learn the ins and outs of one invention than we are obliged to learn those of another.

We are getting the hang of the radio set and learning how to get a lecture on hog culture from the Montana Agricultural College, when we are called upon to learn the technique of sending photographs by telephone.

A picture of Calvin Coolidge, has been sent from Cleveland to New York, safely and faithfully by telephone. This is considered a supreme test, as the President is a hard man to shoot about the country by telephone, or otherwise, as he is known to have ideas of his own on the subject of long distance traveling.

It is even claimed for this invention, that in time, and a short time, it will be possible, when conversing with a person over the telephone, to have before you a picture of the gentleman, the changing expressions of his face, etc. There will be a dingus connected with every telephone, which will give a moving photograph of the party speaking.

The question is whether we are quite ready for an innovation of this character. Personally I do not think we are. In our present stage of civilization the telephone is the greatest alibi medium in the country. The time may come when all telephones will tell the exact truth. At the present time they lie prodigiously to suit the business or personal needs of subscribers.

I have a case in mind in my own neighborhood, and I have no doubt there are thousands like him.

When this man, Haskins we will call him, is obliged to answer the telephone for the reason that he can find no other member of the family to prevaricate for him, he answers it thuswise, slightly changing his voice and trying to insert some dignity into it:

"Yes, this is Hr. Haskins's residence. The butler speaking. Who wishes to speak to Mr. Haskins?"

"This is the Ajax Collection Agency. We wish to ask him when"—

"One moment, please. I will see if Mr. Haskins is in."

A few minutes elapse, during which Mr. Haskins hunts for himself all over the house. Then—

"I am very sorry, but Mr. Haskins is downtown."

"Can you tell us where we can reach him?"

"I am very sorry, but he left no word."

Mr. Haskins mops a damp forehead and sinks into a library chair, congratulating himself on another narrow escape. It is not necessary to state that Mr. Haskins has not and never has had a butler.

A reproduction of Mr. Haskins' face on the instrument in the collection agency might kill or at least slightly injure the alibi.

The lady who answers the phone and says it is the maid talking and that the mistress is in Philadelphia will also be somewhat inconvenienced, and there are others whose style may be cramped by the telephone photo idea when it has reached its ultimate stage, as predicted.

The gent who calls up his wife at night and tells her he is detained at a directors' meeting will be considerably vexed when she tells him, afterward, that the tele-photo apparatus showed him sitting at a card table with a stack of chips in front of him, while using the telephone.

Have we reached the stage of moral development where we are sufficiently sincere in all our ways and works to defy the cunning power of this coming invention? Perhaps it would be best to go a little slow.

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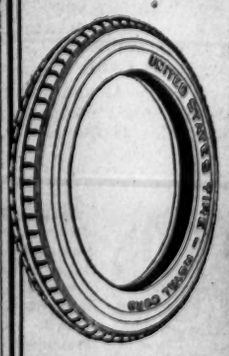

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